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FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

WASHINGTON.

An Agent Coming from Hayti.

His Object to Get Money and Iron-Clads—A Quiet Day at the Executive Mansion—Rumor of a Special Envoy from Russia not Credited—Trial of Judge Fullerton—Iron-Clads to be Sold—Pension Claims—Row at a Mass Meeting—Reverdy Johnson to Arrive To-day.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3, 1869.

A Quiet Day at the White House.

Things were quiet at the White House today. A good many persons called, but few were chosen by the President for interviews, as he was much engaged with members of his Cabinet settling up business preparatory to going away. He left for Annapolis this evening by steamer, accompanied by forty or fifty friends.

Not Credited.

The report that Russia is going to send a special agent here to congratulate Grant on his election as President is not credited in diplomatic circles, but it is thought by some persons that she may be preparing to give us one of her first-class citizens as Minister.

An Agent from Hayti.

A private letter from Hayti says the government of that country is going to send an agent to New York to borrow money, and to Washington to buy a couple of iron-clads.

The Trial of Judge Fullerton

For alleged complicity in internal revenue frauds and blackmailing operations, comes on in New York next week, unless it is again postponed.

Iron-Clads to be Sold.

The government sells the iron steamer Shamokin here at auction on the 19th inst., and the Hornet in the same way at Philadelphia on the 21st.

Branch Mint at Bois City.

Charles M. Walker, late Fifth Auditor, has been appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury Commissioner to select a site for the proposed branch mint office at Bois City, Idaho Territory, and goes thither at once to discharge this duty.

Vinnie Ream's Statue of Lincoln.

Vinnie Ream's clay model for the statue of Lincoln, ordered by Congress, was shipped from here to-day for Italy, whither she goes to cut the statue.

Row at a Public Meeting.

A Republican mass meeting here last night broke up with a little row, in which pistols were fired, stones thrown, and a couple of men injured.

Minister Harvey

Writes from Portugal, receipting for his salary for three or four years, which was voted to him at the last session of Congress.

The Woman Question.

The National Division of the Sons of Temperance, which meets here next week, will be called upon to decide whether women shall be admitted to full membership in the Order in all parts of the country.

Pension Claims.

The Pension Office received 3,804 claims last month, disposed of 3,746, and still has 62,112 on hand, which the Commissioner will get out of the way as rapidly as possible.

Leave of Absence Granted.

The President has given Knight Templar clerks leave of absence for next week, to attend the semi-centennial anniversary at Philadelphia of St. John's lodge.

Reverdy Johnson

Is expected in Baltomore to-morrow, and will eat a dinner at the expense of the city with the Council on Saturday.

More Money.

A letter reached the Treasury Department this morning in six days from San Francisco, saying the Sub-Treasurer there has six millions of dollars on hand, subject to the Secretary's order.

Removals.

The Secretary of the Navy to-day removed two clerks who are running for Common Council on the so-called citizens' ticket, and the *Intelligencer* will probably give him a blast to-morrow for so doing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3, 1869.

APPOINTMENT OF POSTMASTERS.

Postmaster General Cresswell has made the following appointments of Postmasters in Pennsylvania:

Millersburg, Dauphin county, J. J. Bowman, vice Jesse E. Aucematz, removed.
Womelsdorf, Berks county, Isaac Miller, vice E. Lorish, removed.
Webster's Mills, Fulton county, D. H. Patterson, vice Ira D. Myers, resigned.
Bermudian, Adams county, Jesse Laum, vice T. M. Breneman, resigned.
Sell's Station, Adams county, Abraham Sell, vice E. Wentz, resigned.
Scotland, Franklin county, H. Gleichter, vice Wm. Wallace, Jr., resigned.
Waterside, Bedford county, M. E. Ralston, vice Elisha Ralston, resigned.
Cherry Grove, Bedford county, Jacob Feltons, vice J. Louderbach, resigned.
Shaff's Bridge, Somerset county, William S. Kreman, vice F. B. Long, resigned.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The President this morning issued an order directing that all Knight Templars employed in the Executive Departments who wish to attend the semi-centennial anniversary of St. John's Lodge No. 1, Philadelphia, be granted leave of absence for four days, commencing on the 15th inst.

FURTHER APPOINTMENTS.

The following Consuls have been appointed: J. Mason Rice, A. L. Brindisi, O. H. Irish, at Dresden; B. O. Duncan, at Naples; J. G. Maffett, at Pernambuco; Thomas Adamson, Jr., at Honolulu; J. C. Cover, at Fayal.

M. M. Trumbull has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue, for the Third District of Iowa, and A. C. Mathews for the Ninth Illinois. Oscar H. Lagrange, Superintendent of the Branch Mint at San Francisco. James Russell Jones, Minister Resident at Belgium.

CABINET CONSULTATION.

Several members of the Cabinet had a consultation with the President this morning, in reference to matters before their respective departments.

THE PRESIDENT

Will leave Washington this afternoon in the United States steamer Tallapoosa for Annapolis, and will attend the ball given by midshipmen in honor of Mrs. Admiral Porter to-morrow night.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

The customs receipts from May 24th to 31st inclusive were $3,472,083.

THE CABLE BILL PAID.

The sixty thousand dollar telegraph bill against the Department of State has been paid by this Government, through the Barings. Two-thirds of this sum was due on cable telegrams concerning the Alaska purchase. The correctness of the bill had been disputed, because the company had charged as full words single figures only, which had been substituted for letters in the State Department cipher.

REINSTATED.

Brevet Major Charles O. Wood, U. S. A., recently sentenced to six monts suspension for striking a brother officer in Alaska, has been reinstated in the service by order of the President.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The Indian Bureau has no official information whatever concerning the recent Indian disturbance, accounts of which are published in the newspapers. The Commissioner therefore thinks they are exaggerations.

NO DISAGREEMENT.

There is official authority for saying rumors circulating about a disagreement between the President and Commissioner Delano arewholly untrue.

Ohio River at Ironton.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

IRONTON, O., June 3, 1869.

Boats down to-day: Telegraph, at eleven A. M. Up: Fleetwood, at twelve M. River rising; warm, with slight showers of rain, and appearance of more. The steamer Anna Laurie sunk in Kanawha river. The Victor No. 3 took part of her cargo to Portsmouth to-night for the Bostona. H.

Rust has appeared in the wheat in Virginia, and the crop will be reduced one-half.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Alabama Correspondence—Serious Riot in Wales—Four Persons Killed and Many Wounded—The Life Peerage Bill Passed in Committee—The Civil War in Japan—Zolverein in Session at Berlin—Death of an Eminent German.

The Alabama Correspondence.

LONDON, June 2.—The official correspondence between England and America, relative to the Alabama affair, is published. In February, 1868, Secretary Seward expressed a wish for the settlement of these claims, and suggesting an international conference. Subsequently Secretary Seward desired that the naturalization and San Juan questions should be first settled, and these were accordingly concluded. In October, Minister Johnson, in behalf of Secretary Seward, proposed that the Alabama claims be referred to a committee formed of an equal number of British and Americans, with power to call upon an umpire in case of disagreement, whose decision should be final. Lord Stanley responded that the point on which the former negotiations broke off was mainly the claims that the Americans would raise before the arbitration. The question of the alleged premature recognition by her Majesty's Government of the state of the belligerency of the Confederacy would not be taken up, and thereby cause the Government to depart from the position already taken, but that he saw difficulty in so framing the reference that by mutual consent either a tacit or express difficulty might be avoided. The negotiations thereafter proceeded rapidly on the basis of this agreement, by which both nations were to be blended for the purpose of making things run smoothly, and a convention was drawn up and signed in December, England conceding that the place of meeting should be Washington. Subsequently Mr. Seward informed Mr. Thornton that the contents of the convention were not in accordance with the instructions to Minister Johnson, and the President and his colleagues could not approve of certain stipulations, which, in the present form, would not receive the sanction of the Senate. Mr. Seward assured Mr. Thornton of the desire of the United States to bring the matter to a satisfactory conclusion, and hoped the importance of the subject would lead him to consent to modifications acceptable to the Senate.

On the English Ministry being changed, Lord Clarendon wrote, under date of December 24th, the British Government was prepared to meet the wishes of the United States, and sent a draft of the convention by which negotiations were to be completed by the 14th of January. The second convention, drawn up by Lord Clarendon, and rejected by the Senate, was in fact a proposal to cheat the public by deceptive clauses in regard to the recognition of belligerency, and excited indignant comment here with all fair minded men, and appears to have fully justified the action of the Senate.

The London journals still continue to discuss the Alabama claims and the relations between Great Britain and the United States. The *Daily News* hopes Mr. Motley will assist England to forget the treaty recently rejected.

The *Standard* felicitates Mr. Motley on his recent speeches, and hopes England will be able to reciprocate the sentiments.

Riot in Wales.

LONDON, June 3.—Dispatches were received to-day from Mould, a small town in the north part of Wales, giving the details of a formidable riot which occurred there last evening. Several lives were lost and many persons injured. An attempt was made to rescue some prisoners in the hands of the Sheriff. The Sheriff and his guard resisted manfully, but the mob being too strong it was found necessary to call out the military force which fired upon the rioters, killing four instantly and wounding many more. At the date of our last dispatch the town was quiet. The prisoners were still in custody.

Does Not Wish for War.

LONDON, June 3.—The *Evening Standard* to-day, in a leading editorial, says it believes America does not wish for war in the utter absence of any reasonable motive for war. Mr. Motley's assurances are well timed and appreciated. The *Standard* is confident that as soon as the irritation caused by the too animated discussion of the questions at issue subsides, men on both sides of the Atlantic will be ready and eager to hold out their hands to each other.

Life Peerages.

In the House of Lords to-day, the bill for the creation of life peerages passed in committee, with an amendment limiting the number of peers to be created under its provisions to two annually.

Trustee Nominated.

Sir Stafford Northcote has nominated George Peabody to be trustee of the Hudson Bay Company, vice J. C. Emerson, resigned.

China and Japan.

LONDON, June 2.—Advices from Hong Kong to May 11th have reached London. The Chinese news is unimportant. The civil war in Japan continued. The Mikado had sent a powerful fleet against the rebels at Hakodadi. It was reported French officers aided the rebels there.

The Zolverein.

BERLIN, June 3.—The Parliament of the Zolverein assembled to-day. The session was opened with a speech delivered in the name of the King. The speech announces the extension of the Zolverein, assures Hamburg her commercial facilities will be greatly improved, and concludes with the declaration that the united Government of Germany is sure of the zeal and favor of the Deputies for the promotion of national interest.

Death of an Eminent Theologian.

Dr. Ernest William Hengslenburg, the eminent theologian of Bonn, died to-day, aged sixty-seven.

French Interest in Mexico.

PARIS, June 3.—Ernest Burdet, whose arrival at the City of Mexico is announced, went from St. Thomas under authorization of the French Government, to look after French interests in Mexico.

Increase in Specie.

LONDON, June 3.—The specie in the Bank of England has increased £440,000 on the week. The specie in the Bank of France has increased 11,600,000 francs on the week.

Shipping Intelligence.

LONDON, June 3.—The steamer Bavaria has arrived out.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Evening, June 3.—Consols for money 92½; for account 92¾; 5-20 bonds quiet and steady at 80⅝; do at Frankfort 86½@86⅝. Erie 18¾; Illinois 95; Atlantic and Great Western 25; stocks quiet.

U. S. Bonds at Frankfort.

FRANKFORT, Evening, June 3.—United States 5-20 bonds closed at 86⅞@87.

Paris Bourse.

PARIS, June 3.—Bourse steady; rentes 71 francs 47 centimes.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 3.—Cotton market a shade firmer; middling uplands 11½d; Orleans 11⅝d. Sales 12,000 bales.

California white wheat 9s 8d; red western 8s 8d. Western flour 22s 6d. Corn—mixed 27s 3d. Oats 3s 4d. Barley 5s. Peas 37s 6d. Pork 99s. Beef 90s. Lard 71s 6d. Cheese 82s. Bacon 60s 6d.

Spirits Petroleum 8d; refined 1s 8d. Tallow 43s. Turpentine 27s 6d.

London Produce Market.

LONDON, June 3.—Tallow 43s 9d. Sugar 39s 6d@40s. Refined petroleum 1s 6¾d; spirits 10@12d; market firm.

Antwerp Petroleum Market.

ANTWERP, June 3.—Petroleum 47¼ francs.

Havre Cotton Market.

HAVRE, June 3.—Cotton 142½ francs.

PRESBYTERIANISM.

Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church at Monmouth, Ill.

CHICAGO, June 3.—The United Presbyterian Assembly, in session at Monmouth, Ill., to-night, after an exciting discussion, adopted the report of the Committee on Secret Societies. It reaffirms the former law of the church on the subject, and directs sessions to enforce the same.

The report of the Committee on Board of Home Missions was considered. The article in the confession of faith on which the marriage ceremony was removed yesterday was to-day overtured to Presbyteries. The question to be answered is, "shall this rule be repealed?"

The Assembly discussed the subject of Presbyterian union this afternoon. A substitute for Dr. Clark's paper was adopted. Its substance is that without approving the acts of the Convention fully, the Assembly continue the same committee to negotiate with similar committees of other Presbyterian Churches. The substitute elicited considerable discussion, but was finally passed by a very large majority.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—The General Synod of the Reformed Church of America assembled to-day. The report of the Board of Directors shows receipts during the year from bequests and donations of $18,095, also $2,890 for the Hope endowment fund, and $1,339 collections from churches. The widows' fund amounts to $29,192; arrears of the losses of contingent expenses and assessment to increase permanent fund of the General Synod $7,675. Communications were received from classes of Holland, Wis., denouncing Free Masonry, and suggesting efforts to have it totally abolished, and from classes of Wisconsin concerning the superannuated ministers, which with several other communications were referred. Adjourned.

The following additional particulars of the Indian massacres on Fossil creek have been received. The tongues and hearts were cut out of the dead bodies of the men killed, the calves of their legs slit down and tied under the shoes with pieces of flesh cut from their backs, pieces of telegraph wire were stuck into their bodies, their ears cut off and heads scalped. John Hark, Deputy United States Marshal, reports that the Indians boiled the hearts of these men for medicine. The Swedish settlers who were attacked on Shillman creek all lived in one house, and only those were killed that attempted to leave the house and reach a place of greater security. Those that remained in the house were not molested; this occurred in two or three instances. The calamity is mainly attributed to the lack of arms, for whenever a gun was fired the savages made no fight. The Indians drove off considerable stock from the above settlement. Adjutant General Morehouse is here organizing a force of militia.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Senator Pomeroy arrived home, at Atchison, Kansas, Wednesday, and was serenaded that night by a large crowd of citizens, irrespective of party.

Barnham & Searles's oil refinery, Cleveland, Ohio, was burned yesterday. Loss $8,000; no insurance.

The Fremont postoffice was broken into and robbed Wednesday night. The thieves destroyed a large number of letters.

The City of Boston, from Liverpool, has arrived.

Pratt's whiting factory, in Philadelphia, was burned yesterday morning. Loss, $20,000.

Mayor Smith's residence, in Rochester, was burned yesterday morning. Loss, $6,000.

Gov. Stearns, of New Hampshire, was inaugurated yesterday. In his message he says that the State debt has been reduced to $350,000 within the past year, and that in the same ratio it will be extinguished in eight years. The agricultural interests had been promoted. He urged the adoption of the Fifteenth Amendment. The manufacturing and mercantile interests were satisfactory.

The Ohio State Sabbath School Union is holding its tenth annual session at Steubenville, and delegates are present from all parts of the State.

The loss by the destruction of Miles Greenwood & Co.'s foundry, at Cincinnati, yesterday morning is estimated at $50,000. Fully insured in home companies.

Judge John Wilson died at his residence in Westminster, Canada, yesterday.

Bills have been reported in the Massachusetts House to loan the credit of the State to the Massachusetts Central Railroad Company to the amount of three millions, and to the Boston, Hartford and Erie Railroad Company to the amount of two millions. A bill to establish the Great Northern Railroad Company has been reported in the Senate.

The new Richmond Flour Mill, two miles south of Frederick, Md., was destroyed by incendiary fire yesterday morning. The engine house and contents were saved. The mill is owned by Fangmyer, Doll & Castle, of Baltimore. Loss $10,000; insured for $5,000.

District Attorney Pierrepont has consented to take bonds for the Quaker City on her appraised value, and the matter will be brought before Judge Blatchford for his action on Saturday, when the vessel will, it is said, be formally released. Her owners are losing $1,000 per day by her detention.

President Grant has pardoned George Meyers, convicted in January of having a counterfeit five-dollar national currency note in his possession.

General Thomas was serenaded in San Francisco on Wednesday evening.

At the conclusion of the Schoeppe murder trial at Carlisle, Pa., the defendant was found guilty of murder in the first degree. Counsel for defense made the usual motion for a new trial.

Senator Casserly is to be given a public reception by the Democracy of San Francisco, on his arrival in that city.

The sale of State tidal lands within the limits of San Francisco commenced on Wednesday. The prices realized were much higher than anticipated.

The Gen. O'Donnell who died suddenly on Wednesday in the Spanish Cortes, was probably a son of the celebrated Marshal O'Donnell, who died November 5th, 1864.

The New York Chamber of Commerce yesterday passed resolutions in favor of a renewal of negotiations for a reciprocity treaty with Canada. Gen. Walbridge made a strong speech in support of the resolutions.

Justice McCarthy, late editor of the London *Star*, is announced to speak at Cooper Institute, New York, on Monday evening next, on the Alabama question.

The raft Nonpareil, on which Capt. Minks made a trip to Europe, is again ready for a like voyage.

John Alstyne, one of the oldest members of the New York Stock Exchange, died Wednesday morning.

Moses E. Ludington, a merchant of Chicago, who is alleged to have obtained $7,200 worth of goods upon false representations, and who is confined in Ludlow street jail, New York, was brought before Judge McCunn on a writ of *habeas corpus*, to be admitted to bail so as to be able to prepare for trial. Judge McCunn rendered a decision denying the motion for the prisoner's release, and remanding him to prison.

John W. Briggs, one of the proprietors of Briggs's stables in Twenty-third street, New York, burned in December last, was yesterday morning arrested on a charge of hiring W. R. Sheldon to burn the stables, and was committed for examination next Monday, bail being refused.

The Dupuy pardon case comes up for argument before Judge Blatchford at New York on Saturday. This is the case where pardons were revoked by President Grant.

Among 1,400 steerage passengers landed on Wednesday from the steamer Manhattan, at New York, were 300 skilled English and Welsh workmen of different trades. The influx of Norwegians continues enormous, and it is said at least 200,000 will arrive within the next eighteen months. Their destination is invariably the Northwest.

The Brewers' Congress adjourned yesterday, to meet in Davenport next May. A constitution was presented and referred to the next Congress for adoption. The Finance Committee reported a balance in the treasury of over $6,000. Resolutions were adopted that beer should be taxed not as a luxury, but on the same plan as the necessaries of life, and brewers relieved from arbitrary seizures by ignorant officials; that the tariff on Canada barley should be reduced, and the tax on malt repealed; that their manufacture promotes true temperance, and that they will use all honorable means to drive Puritanical temperance men from political power.

Frank Kales, a lad employed in the *Staats Zeitung* office in Chicago, while attempting to ascend from the first floor to the composing room by means of a steam elevator, stumbled as he stepped on the platform, his feet caught in the iron, while his body hung suspended from the platform. In this way he was rapidly carried up, compressed in a space of four or five inches. His piercing screams attracted the attention of the engineer, and the machine was at once stopped, but not until he was fearfully crushed in every part of his body. So thoroughly was he wedged in that it became necessary to cut away the partition to release him. He is still alive, but in a critical condition.

In the trial of Robinson, at Jacksonville, Ill., for the murder of Gen. McConnell, the examination of witnesses for the defense commenced yesterday. Several persons testified to seeing Robinson at his store at about the time the murder was committed.

Albert Crawford, a lawyer of Detroit, has been arrested on complaint of the sheriff, charged with assisting the prisoners to escape from jail last Sunday.

The citizen of Jackson, Mich., yesterday voted $70,000 toward the Michigan Air Line railroad and the Fort Wayne road.

The Michigan Publishers' Association meet in convention at Adrian, Tuesday next.

A disgraceful row ocaurred between the passengers and crew of a little steamer called the Hunter, lying at Four Mile Lane, a small village on the Indiana side of the Ohio, a few miles below Louisville. It was a free fight for all. One man was seriously stabbed with a knife, and many were more or less wounded.

The condition of ex-Attorney General Black, of Pennsylvania, is improving daily, and it is thought he will be able to resume his journey at an early day.

The loss of Greenwood & Co. by fire is not above $50,000; insured for $30,500 in Cincinnati companies, and as follows in others: Fulton, New York, $2,500; German, Cleveland, $5,000; Manhattan, New York, $5,000; State, Cleveland, $2,500; Security, New York, $2,500; Sun, Cleveland, $2,500; Underwriters, New York, two policies, $10,000; Albany, of Albany, loss only partial, $3,000; Springfield, Mass., loss only partial, $3,000: total $36,000.

Within a few days about sixty thousand fur seal skins, valued at half a million dollars, consigned to the successors of the Russian American Fur Company, have been received at San Francisco from Alaska. It is stated many of these skins were taken from female seals and pups, in violation of law. Other shipments were made direct to Honolulu, thence to Europe.

The first sleeping car ever seen in California arrived at Sacramento yesterday from the East.

The Captain of the ship National Eagle, from Hong Kong, reports, May 17, observing an active volcano on an island in latitude 31° 18′ north, longitude 139° 50′ east. The island was about five miles from Smith Island. The vessel passed midway between the two islands. When abreast of the volcano they could hear it roar fearfully. A dense mass of smoke ascended from the island.

The experiments in smelting iron ore at Carondelet, Mo., and the practicability of making good iron with Chester coal, is being demonstrated daily.

General Lee has expressed himself in favor of the adoption of the expurgated Constitution, and the election of Mr. Walker, the candidate of the Conservative Republicans, for Governor of Virginia.

The St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Fair Association have completed their premium list for the present year, and it aggregates $30,000. The ninth annual fair will open Monday, October 4th.

A committee appointed by the colored State Convention of Virginia waited on General Canby yesterday with a petition that he should issue an order giving colored people equal rights in cars and steamboats. General Canby declined to interfere in the matter, and referred them to the courts as the proper place for redress of any grievances that may exist.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Latest Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, June 3—10 P. M.

At the open board in the afternoon in grain a quiet feeling prevailed, caused by the reported decline in Liverpool. Sales of No. 2 at $1 12@1 12½ cash and seller week; $1 11@1 11¾ seller month. Corn and oats neglected. Provisions and freights dull. In the evening there was no movement, the markets being dull and weak.

Cattle not very active to-day; receipts light and demand slow; prices easier, but unchanged. Fresh receipts 1,454 head; sales 1,621 at $5 25@7 75.

Hogs dull and weak; supply large and demand light, consequently prices declined about 10@15c; receipts 5,743 head; sales 3,986 at prices ranging from $8 40@8 90.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, June 3.—Flour very dull; white Michigan $8 00; city ground spring $5 75@6 00. Wheat dull; sales 10,000 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee at $1 27 early, and amber Ohio at $1 30, closing weaker. Corn in fair demand for car lots; sales 11,000 bushels hot at 62c; 2,000 do white at 72c, and 15,000 do new mixed at 68@72c, closing steady. Oats in fair demand and higher; sales 26,000 bushels western at 68½c, and 14,000 do do 69c, all to arrive; 15,000 do western at 69c, and 3,500 do Racine at 69c. Rye held at $1 18@1 20; no demand. Pork firmer, selling at $32 00. Lard steady at 19c. Highwines lower, offered at 95c without buyers; distillers are operating again.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, June 3.—Cotton steady; middlings 28¾@28½c; sales 3,250 bales; receipts 327 bales; exports 687 bales. Sugar—Common 9¾@10½c; prime 13¾c. Molasses—Fermenting 52½c.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

CUBA.

Particulars of the Pelaez Affair.

DULCE COMPELLED TO RESIGN.

The Volunteers Control the Government—The Resignation of Other Officials Enforced—The Insurgents Successful in Recent Engagements—Expeditions in Aid of the Cubans—The New Captain General—Spanish Officials in the Island, &c., &c.

HAVANA, June 2, *via* KEY WEST, June 3.—General Pelaez, whose life was threatened by the volunteers, went to Cienfuegos, but the volunteers there refused to let him land. He was compelled to return to Havana. On his arrival here the volunteers demanded his life, because he had sold his country, asserting that he had received one hundred and twenty thousand dollars to allow some rebels to escape. Narcisse Escosura, Chief of the Administration, and Senor Diara, Secretary of Captain General Dulce, succeeded in compromising the affair with the volunteers, and further outrages were prevented.

Yesterday evening the volunteers, greatly excited, assembled before the Captain General's palace, and shouted "Death to Dulce!" "Death to Pelaez!" This morning a commission from the volunteers entered the palace and demanded General Dulce's immediate resignation, declaring he was allied with traitors. The resignation of the Captain General was soon afterwards announced. No act of violence was committed. The volunteers now have full control, and are really the governing power of the Island. Several Lieutenant Governors and civil officers of high rank accused of connivance with the rebels, are to be immediately relieved of their offices.

The insurgents in several recent encounters have gained slight advantages over the troops.

HAVANA, June 3.—The volunteers in Matanzas, following the example of those in Havana, assembled before the Government palace there, and demanded the immediate resignation of the Governor of Matanzas. Their demands was acceded to, and Col. Leon is now acting as Governor. No outrages were committed, and at last accounts order was maintained. The city of Havana remains exceedingly quiet, but public anxiety is intense. A special steamer has been ordered to be in readiness to convey Gen. Dulce to Spain, and it is expected he will depart within a day or two.

EXPEDITION FROM THE SOUTHERN COAST.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—A Cuban expedition left the Southern coast on the 29th of May. It numbered 475 men, who are part of General Jordan's command. All of them are ex-Federal and Confederate soldiers. From reliable information received by interested parties here, it is learned the men and munitions of war have safely landed and joined the Cuban forces. The expedition was in charge of a distinguished Colonel of the Confederate army from Louisiana, Colonel De Russy.

HAVANA, June 2, *via* KEY WEST, June 3.—A revolution has broken out here, and the volunteers have compelled Gen. Dulce to surrender the Captain Generalship to Gen. Espinar until the arrival of Gen. De Roda. Gen. Pelaez is accused of receiving $70,000 from insurgents. He started for Cienfuegos, but the volunteers there became riotous and would not permit him to land. He returned Monday to Havana, and the volunteers, advised of his arrival, surrounded the Telegrafo Hotel with tin horns, &c., and demanded his surrender. The proprietor of the hotel assured the volunteers he was not there, and opened his doors and allowed them to search the house. The crowd then went to the Government palace and entered unopposed by the guard, and made the same demand of Gen. Dulce, but Dulce indignantly told them to search everywhere. Yesterday the officers and men stationed here determined to demand the abdication of the Captain General. The streets were filled with a riotous crowd during the whole of the night, and a mob assembled at the Plaza de Armas and shouted "death to Dulce!" A commission consisting of a Colonel and one soldier from each battalion, this afternoon had an interview with General Dulce, and demanded his immediate relinquishment of the command of the Island. Dulce asked that time be allowed him to receive a reply to his telegram for instructions from Madrid. His request was refused, and at nine o'clock he surrendered his office. The volunteers then dispersed. Matters will probably remain quiet until De Roda's arrival from Spain, although Espinar is powerless against the volunteers. It is thought Pelaez has gone to Key West.

Advices from Santiago to Thursday last are that the filibusters who recently landed at the Bay of Nipe had escaped to the interior, leaving behind some material of war, including four guns, for want of transportation. The Government accounts of the affair at the Bay of Nipe are much exaggerated, and the landing of the filibusters causes depression in business. The Spaniards are uncertain of the future.

HAVANA, June 1, *via* KEY WEST, June 3.—The steamer Montezuma reported having sighted a schooner which had landed munitions of war on the island adjacent to the Bay of Nipe just as she was leaving.

A fight took place at Villa Clara between 1,200 insurgents and a company of troops. A passenger who arrived here to-day reports he saw 22 of the troops dead. The others were wounded or captured, except three.

SEVEN OR EIGHT EXPEDITIONS IN AID OF THE CUBANS.

The New York *Tribune* has "special and credible advices" that by means of seven or eight expeditions which have within a few months left New York and Philadelphia the Cubans have received large and somewhat surprising quantities of arms and munitions of war, and that as a consequence the revolution has assumed new proportions. The *Tribune* gives the following as an authentic list of the expeditions alluded to, and their cargoes of military supplies: By the Salvador, from Key West, 1,500 arms and three field pieces. From Nassau, by the same, 2,500 guns and 5 cannon. By the Perritt, 3,000 guns and 8 cannon. By the Grapeshot, 4,000 guns and 2 cannon. These vessels originally left New York. Those sent from Philadelphia in the first expedition therefrom were three schooners with 3,500 arms and four steel guns. This cargo was delivered near Trinidad on the 17th of April, and has already, if report be credible, told with effect on the situation in that greatly disaffected quarter. The second expedition had its landing at the same place 3,500 guns in a small steamer. The third expedition has just gone with 2,500. By these various expeditions the Cubans have received 21,100 small arms and 22 cannon or field pieces. These supplies, received within a period comparatively brief, constitute the most decided and extensive aid the Cubans have ever obtained. Never have the patriots of Cuba seemed so confident of victory.

THE NEW CAPTAIN GENERAL.

Dulce, the Captain General of Cuba, resigned his office, so the telegraph informs us, on Wednesday last, the second inst., and General Espinar is acting in his place until Roda, the new Viceroy, arrives from Spain. The appointment of Roda is viewed by the Cuban authorities in New York as a sign of fiercer and more merciless hostilities on the part of the mother country. He is an able and prompt commander, and will assemble around him the worst and least scrupulous chiefs of the army. It is expected that he will draw the reins tighter upon the goaded Cubans, and by consequence make the war more desperate and unrelenting. Meanwhile, and before his arrival, the Cubans and their supposed filibustering allies will have gained needful headway. The clog upon the new Captain-General's efforts will be founded in the finances of the island, and the generally alleged corruptions of its officials.

THE SPANISH OFFICIALS IN CUBA.

Private advices from Havana represent the extreme corruption of the Spaniards there, and the venal indifference of a number of their officials to the failure or success of the war. So gross had the avarice of these officials or officers become, that it was a matter of belief that they had privately sold arms and supplies of all kinds to the enemy. Indeed, it is known to Cubans resident in New York, that the first supplies of arms, some thousands in number, received by the Cubans, were bought from the Spaniards themselves. Charges or reports of corruption are still common at the capital and in the field.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

Election of Directors of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway—Action of the Board Indorsed.

CHICAGO, June 3.—The stockholders of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company met at one o'clock this afternoon at their office, corner of Lake and Clark streets, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year. Gen. H. H. Baxter, of New York, was elected Chairman of the meeting; James De Pfuhl, Secretary. The following names were placed in nomination for directors: Henry Keep, H. H. Baxter, John L. Burke, Benj. Nathan, M. L. Sykes, James H. Benedict, Geo. S. Scott, John Bloodgood, F. P. James, S. W. Gurner, Russell Sage, Anthony Dulman, all of New York; J. L. Ten Have Franz, Amsterdam, Holland; H. R. Pierson, Chicago; John B. Turner, Chicago; George L. Dunlap, Chicago; Alexander Mitchell, Milwaukee. An hour after the close of the polls, Col. Howe, chairman of the inspectors, announced that 266,337 shares of the capital stock of the company had been voted, and the result was the election of the above ticket. Colonel James H. Howe, of Chicago, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the acts and doings of the board of directors of this company during the year ending June 2d, 1869, in the redemption and retirement of the outstanding bonds of this company, and in the issue and disposition of capital stock of this company, and in the general policy of the directors in improving the property and administering the affairs of the company, and increasing the equipment and improving the track to meet the requirements of business, are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

The stockholders' meeting then adjourned, and the newly elected directors organized a meeting for the election of officers of the Company for the ensuing year. The following officers were elected: Henry Keep, President; Henry R. Parson, Vice President and Financial Agent; M. L. Sykes, Jr., second Vice President; Albert L. Pitchard, Secretary and Treasurer; Geo. L. Dunlap, General Superintendent and Chief of Engineers; Jas. H. Howe, General Solicitor; Geo. P. Lee, Assistant Treasurer; M. M. Kirkman, General Accountant; J. B. Redfield, Assistant Secretary and Register; Odin Thayer, Jr., Purchasing Agent.

At a meeting of the newly elected directors of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, held at the Sherman House this evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John F. Tracy, President and General Superintendent; E. Cook, Secretary; no Treasurer elected; F. D. Sherman, Assistant Treasurer; E. W. Dunbar, Register; P. A. Hall, Assistant General Superintendent; J. F. Tracy, E. Cook, David Daws, B. F. Allen and W. L. Scott, Executive Committee.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—An adjourned meeting to consider the claims of the Rockford, Rock Island and St. Louis Railroad was held on 'Change to-day, at which Judge Greene, of Iowa, explained the condition of the above road, and showed the great advantage it would be to St. Louis. His remarks were well received, and resolutions were adopted recognizing the benefits to be derived from the building of the road, and recommending it to the consideration of capitalists and business men. The Company desire to raise $300,000 here, and their prospects seem to be good.

The St. Joseph papers announce that Opdyke & Co., of New York, have made a proposition to the directors of the St. Joseph and Denver Railroad Company to furnish money for the completion of their road on the issuance therefor of first mortgage bonds and turning over the assets of the company.

WHO FIRST PROPOSED THE PACIFIC RAILROAD?

Letter from One Who Claims the Honor.

BROWNSVILLE, PA., June 2, 1869.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

SIR:—A few days ago, in a little paragraph of your paper, you observed that there were a number of individuals that would never "die." Among others, you enumerated "the projector of the Pacific Railroad." I here take occasion to say, through the columns of your paper, to the public, that, so early as the first annual message of James K. Polk, December, 1845, I wrote him, requesting him to recommend to Congress the building of a railroad to the Pacific, starting at Lake Michigan, to the South Pass of the Rocky Mountains, to the head waters of the Columbia river, down said river to tide water. (If the letters received by the President have been preserved, this letter may be found.) After which time I wrote, and continued to write, to every member of Congress that I thought would take any interest in the project, among others to "Long John Wentworth," and Andrew Stewart, our immediate representative, to whom I wrote almost weekly on the subject. Finally I plotted the road, made a chimney-corner survey of the road, made a map of the route. I employed an artist, who drew my scheme elegantly on a large sheet of drawing paper. I rolled it up and sent it to Hon. A. Stewart. In answer, Mr. Stewart acknowledged the receipt of the map, praised it highly. He showed it to a number of members of Congress, by whom, he assured me, it was highly praised. He suspended it in the halls of Congress for inspection.

By this time California fell into our hands. Then I renewed my exertions, but designated San Francisco as the terminus. At last I turned to Thomas H. Benton, from whom I had never heard one word on the subject, and by every means in my power tried to enlist him in this cause.

In a few days after, Mr. Benton made a motion in the Senate in favor of such a road, and upon the adjournment of Congress, he called the great meeting at St. Louis which finally put the ball in motion, that has now reached it glorious termination. At which I rejoice as much I suppose as any individual, for it has been the *one great desire of my heart*, and thank God, it has been accomplished. I am now too old (being 83 years of age) to derive any pecuniary benefit from it, but others will,—our nation will, and the world will. Hon. A. Stewart is yet living, (do not know as to Mr. Wentworth) and to Mr. Stewart I *can* and *do* appeal for the truth of my statements. I am, respectfully, yours, &c., JOHN WILGUS.

STATE POLITICS.

The result in Lencaster county at the Republican primary elections on Saturday was not directly favorable to Governor Geary. The delegates elect to the State Convention are: Emlen Franklin, A. J. Kauffman, Theodore A. Kinzer, John K. Rutter, John Strohn, Sr., Jacob S. Shirk. The Lancaster *Express* claims the result as a defeat of the Thug ring, and says: "The delegates elected are not committed to any particular candidate, and a majority of them, we have reason to believe, will not incline to favor the re-nomination of Governor Geary unless their present impression that he is not the most available candidate, shall be corrected by further observations of the field."

In another article the *Express* says: "Let the Republican voters now see to it that men with characters for incorruptible integrity, instead of unscrupulous politicians who seek office under pledges to punish and promote the selfish and corrupt ends of dishonest persons and factions, are henceforth chosen to represent them in the Legislature, and in other offices within their gift—let the party of freedom and loyalty be known also as the party of honesty and devotion to the public welfare—and it will gather strength with each coming election, while those corrupt and selfish [illegible] will esteem themselves fortunate in being permitted to be forgotten."

General Harrison Allen, of Warren county, is announced as a candidate for State Senate. Warren county claims the Senator for the next term, and Gen. Allen is said to be competent to fill the position. He was a member of the Legislature of 1867.

The Titusville *Herald* says: "We are informed that Messrs. Beatty and Crosier have decided to withdraw from the canvass for Assembly, leaving the field to Messrs. Ames, Johnson and Scott, an arrangement which virtually insures the nomination of Mr. Ames."

A large number of prominent oil operators residing in Oil City have published a card recommending Wm. L. Lay for the Legislature. They say: "Mr. Lay was put forward last year, and is again brought before the Republicans this year as a candidate for Assembly because we believe he has the honesty, ability and energy to represent the best interests of Venango county in the Legislature. He is not the candidate of any clique. He is in favor of a Free Pipe bill, a fair law to plug abandoned wells, a reduction of State and county expenditure, and consequently of a reduction of taxes."

The lot of ground on the southeast corner of State and Washington streets, Chicago, owned by Timothy Wright, having frontage on State street of one hundred feet, was sold yesterday to John V. Farwell & Co. for three thousand four hundred dollars a front foot, or three hundred and forty thousand dollars for the entire lot. Messrs. Farwell & Co. will proceed to erect an elegant mammoth structure for use as a wholesale dry goods house. The lot is directly opposite, on Washington street, to Potter Palmer's elegant marble block, occupied by Field, Lieter & Co.

CITY MATTERS.

Acknowledgements.

The following letter from the principal of the Soldiers' Orphan School, Uniontown, has been received by the Chairman of the Ladies' Monumental Association:

UNIONTOWN, PA., May 31, 1869.

Ladies of the Monumental Association:

I take the earliest opportunity, after our return, to express, in behalf of the teachers and scholars of the Uniontown Soldiers' Orphan School, our grateful acknowledgments for the very kind and hospitable manner in which we were entertained while on a visit to your city on Decoration Day. Our accommodations at the Soldiers' Home were most admirable and sumptuous. To Dr. King, Mrs. King, Major Heslip, and the Matron, Mrs. Johnston, we are especially indebted, and fully appreciate their kindness in securing us into their delightful Home—for their attention to our wants, and readiness even to discommode themselves for our comfort.

To those who made provisions for our conveyance to and from the Home, and to the cemetery and back, as well as for their laborious attention, and also to the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company, for their renewed favor to our school, we are under great obligations. Nor can we omit to give expression to our grateful feelings for our splendid entertainment at City Hall, and for the thoughtful and valuable gift of books, than which nothing culd have been more suitable or more highly appreciated by the children They were distributed as directed, and made many glad hearts; they will also be grateful mementoes. To all who in any way contributed to our comfort and pleasure, we desire in this manner, and through you, to express the the sincere thanks of the school.

Respectfully, &c., A. H. WATERS.

The books referred to, consisted of a library containing one volume for each scholar, which the ladies of the Mental Association purchased with monies placed in their hands for purpose.

The Independence Hose Carriage.

The new Independence Hose Carriage No. 7, built by the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, Manchester, New Hampshire, was shipped on the 31st ult., and is expected to arrive to-day or to-morrow. The carriage is unlike all others now in use in the city, and is constructed in such a manner that it can be turned in the shortest possible space. The axles are connected by means of an iron frame work, so arched that the front wheels can turn entirely under the arches. It can turn in the space it occupies when standing. In order to give the front wheels room for turning, the hose reel is further back than ordinary, and to accommodate this position of the reel, the rear axle is bent downwards. The front wheels are fifty-four inches in diameter, and the hind wheels sixty inches. Both have patent brass hubs. The reel is of sufficient size to hold five hundred feet of hose, and an endless chain is arranged for the purpose of reeling the hose. At the rear of the carriage there is a flat board to accommodate two men, and the seat in front will accommodate two. On each side of the seat there is a signal lamp, showing the figure 7, and two hand lamps hang on the framework. The shafts are arranged like those of Adams Express wagons. In front there is one platform spring, and behind two. The carriage weighs eleven hundred pounds, and cost six hundred dollars. It is painted to match the Independence engine.

Painful Accidents.

On Wednesday night between ten and eleven o'clock, officer Gregory Fuhrer, of the Mayor's police, while on duty in the Tenth ward, met with a painful accident. A horse attached to one of the Citizens' Passenger Railway cars, backed near the corner of Twentieth street, and could not be induced to move. Officer Fuhrer undertook to assist in making him start, using his mace as an incentive. Suddenly the horse kicked and struck the unfortunate man on the side of the face, breaking his lower jaw in two places, besides lacerating the flesh considerably. Mr. F. was taken to his home, in Lawrenceville, where he was properly attended.

Earlier in the evening, about seven o'clock, the same horse inflicted another painful accident. A. J. Cochran, Esq., City Treasurer, was riding on the front platform of the car, when then the horse balked and kicked, one of his shoes striking Mr. Cochran on the hand, breaking some of the bones and inflicting a painful injury.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Miss Jean Hosmer, sister of the sculptress, Miss Harriet Hosmer, will give a series of dramatic entertainments at the Academy of Music, commencing on Thursday next.

VIOLATION OF AN ORDINANCE.—A man named Haley was before Mayor Drum last evening for dumping filth on the wharf near the railroad bridge. He was fined five dollars and costs.

COLORED FESTIVITIES.

Grand Tournament and Festival of the Knights of the White Cross—The Parade—The Oration of Sergeant-at-Arms, George Washington G. Galloway—Address by Prof. Neale—The Crowning of the Queen of Beauty and the Maids of Honor.

Yesterday was a day of festivity for the colored population of the city and vicinity, it being the occasion of the Annual Grand Tournament and Festival of the Knights of the White Cross, at Union Park, Allegheny.

THE PROGRAMME.

The programme which had been printed for the occasion was in some respects a peculiar one, but it answered well the purpose for which a programme is usually gotten up—that is, to give a correct idea of the exercises to be engaged in. The name of the orator at Union Park was omitted on the programme, but we were fortunate enough to obtain it. It was Sergeant-at-Arms George Washington Galloway. In the upper portion of the programme was the following Latin motto: "*In Hoc Signo Vinces.*" "Under this standard thou shalt conquer."

THE PROCESSION.

The procession, headed by the Iron City Band in Ward's chariot, formed on Crawford street at half past twelve o'clock P. M., and moved from Crawford to Webster street, then to Arthur street, down Arthur to Center avenue, along the avenue to Fulton street, up Fulton to Wylie street, down Wylie to Fifth avenue, down Fifth to Market, and thence to St. Clair street, and across the Suspension Bridge to the Union Park, Allegheny city.

THE APPEARANCE OF THE PARK.

After the Knights had entered the park the grounds wore a gay and festive appearance. Sir Knights could be seen galloping about in every direction, their gay ribbons fluttering in the breeze, while their burnished tin spears gleamed in the sunlight like the genuine article, and served, with due stretch of the imagination, to remind one of the warriors of "ye olden time" and their tournaments.

The men were under the command of Col. Lovett, who rode a magnificent black charger, and was dressed in full uniform. He was assisted by Sergrant-at-Arms George Washington Galloway, who bestrode a splendid steed and wore appropriate shoulder-straps.

ORATION—SERGEAT-AT-ARMS GEO. W. G. GALLOWAY.

At half-past two o'clock the Sir Knights were formed in line in the center of the park, and the orator of the occasion, George Washington G. Galloway, rode up in front of the line, halted his charger about twenty feet in front, removed his *chapeau*, and said:

[The following is a phonographic report of the oration, which it is needless to say was not written.]

Fellow-citizens of Allegheny—I have the very great pleasure and the supreme honor of introducing to you upon this occasion and on this day the Knights of the White Cross who will shortly take their situations and retire to their places, be called out by name and by bold deeds performed with heroic lances distinguish themselves, by deeds of skill and daring, in order to win the prize for which they are all contending. Each knight will be called out by name before he attempts to carry off the ring. Knights of the White Cross, you have my cordial, thankful reception for the chief of you, which is Col. Lovett, now beside me.

Brethren: I think from your actions on previous occasions you will to-day achieve gallant honor, not only for yourselves but for your children's children, which shall distinguish you and them upon all future occasions, to the latest period of recorded time. [Applause.] You will, after I am done addressing you, retire to your several posteses and places and remain until called out by name, when each will endeavor elaborately to perform the duties of the day and win your laurels, and the one who wins them will have the right to name the Queen of Love and Beauty, and can select the prettiest young lady and the most handsomenest. [Prolonged cheers.]

THE CONTEST.

The following Sir Knights then participated in the contest: Knight of Dick Turpin, Henry Worthington; Knight of Hatche's Run, Benj. Malory; Knight of Memphis, Andrew Ivison; Knight of Friendly Brothers, Pressly Jones; Knight of the Golden Circle, John Ashton; Knight of the Forrest, Geo. Layton; Knight of Pittsburgh, Geo. Gateward; Knight of Allegheny, Geo. Anderson; Knight of Morning Star, Albert Jackson; Knight of the Rising Sun, Dr. Madison; Knight of Jack Sheppard, Isaac Browning; Knight of the Lone Star, Charles Williams; Knight of Liberty, John Bell.

The ring which was to be carried off by the successful contestant was suspended from a horizontal pole, about ten feet from the ground, and supported by two poles placed about twenty feet apart. Through the ring which was about two inches in diameter, each Knight was expected to thrust his lance and bear the ring off triumphantly.

On the first tilt all the Knights missed the [illegible] "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia Shore." On the second tilt the Knight of Hatche's Run, the Knight of Seven Stars, (Pleiades,) were successful. On the third tilt the Knight of Liberty, the Morning Star, and the Knight of the Rising Sun, were the successful contestants. On the fourth tilt the Knight of Pittsburgh, the Knight of the Forest, and the Knight of Liberty, each carried off the ring. On the fifth tilt the Knight of the Golden Circle was successful. On the sixth tilt all failed, and Col. Lovett admonished all contestants to "put up their speed and keep up their reputations." On the seventh tilt the Knight of the Morning Star and the Knight of the Lone Star were successful. On the eighth tilt the successful contestants were the Knight of the Golden Circle, the Knight of Allegheny, the Knight of the Lone Star, the Knight of Liberty. The contest was thus narrowed down to the Knight of the Lone Star and the Knight of Liberty, and these ran some seven or eight tilts together, the Knight of the Lone Star being successful by a majority of one.

AN UNFORESEEN DIFFICULTY.

Here an unforeseen difficulty occurred. The Knight of the Lone Star was found to be a married man, and this was a great difficulty in the way of crowning the Queen of Love and Beauty, for if he were to select his wife for that distinguished honor it would not give general satisfaction, and if he selected any other female it would probably give special dissatisfaction. The gordian knot was solved by the withdrawal of the Knight of the Lone Star in favor of the Knight of Liberty, who fortunately was not a married man.

THE OTHER PRIZES.

In the contest for the crowing of the Maids of Honor, the following contestants were successful: First Maid of Honor, Knight of the Golden Circle; Second Maid of Honor, Knight of the Morning Star; Third Maid of Honor, Knight of the Seven Stars; Fourth Maid of Honor, Knight of Dick Turpin.

ADDRESS BY PROF. S. A. NEALE.

Prof. S. A. Neale then made an address to the Sir Knights. He commenced by stating that another of the tournaments had transpired, and congratulated them upon their deeds of prowess and manly bearing. He suggested that the word Knight embodied the perfect idea of the gentleman and the man of purity in every suggestion and inspiration of life. That they met as friendly contestants for the prize of love and beauty. They had borne themselves in such a manner as to bring no reproach upon themselves in the contest. In their manly efforts for their respective prizes no one could say they had done themselves discredit. The eyes of their friends were upon them; not only those of their own color, but citizens of high repute and standing were present to witness the contest. The speaker reminded them of the deeds of their forefathers in the State of Virginia, from which the principal portion of them had come. Again reminding them that a knight was a gentleman in the truest sense of the word—that morality as well as a proper bearing on public occasions was necessary to their complete character, and begging them above all other attributes to cultivate the qualities of the true gentleman, he closed by bidding them farewell until evening, when he hoped to see them at the hall where the closing ceremonies were to take place.

THE EXERCISES AT LAFAYETTE HALL.

While there might have been something ludicrous in the tournament at Oakland Park, the proceedings at Lafayette Hall were of an entirely different character. The Hall was crowded with the principal portion of the most respectable colored population of the city, and the best of order was preserved. Moor's string band furnished the music, and the early part of the evening was spent in promenading.

Shortly after ten o'clock the successful knights in the day's contest were drawn up in front of the stage and Prof. Neale, the orator of the evening, made a brief and appropriate address. It might, perhaps, be considered strange that there should be an organization like that of the Knights of the White Cross in this practical city. It was not a society formed for mercenary purposes, but to perpetuate a love of the manly sports of their northern home. He referred to the departure of Col. George Lovett, who had been the strong support of the organization in this city. Mr. L. was going to his old southern home.

The list of the Knights was then called over and they took their places on the stage.

John Bell, Knight of Liberty, selected as the Queen of Beauty Nellie Dorsie, and a beautiful wreath of white flowers, the wreath being trimmed with lace, was placed on her head by Prof. Neale, who made a neat little speech.

Charles Williams, Knight of the Lone Star, selected Miss Maria Covet as first Maid of Honor.

John Askins, Knight of the Golden Circle, selected as second Maid of Honor Miss Anna Rose.

Robert Stevenson, Knight of the Morning Star, selected as third Maid of Honor Henrietta Manley.

Alf. Jackson, Knight of the Seven Stars, selected for fourth Maid of Honor Miss Matilda Peterson.

The crowning of the Queen and the Maids of Honor was received with great applause.

Later in the evening, Col. Lovett was presented with a silver watch, the presentation speech being made by Prof. Neale.

On the vote for the gold headed cane for Mayor, Mayor Brush was ahead, but the cane was not awarded last evening, and it is probable that voting will be continued for several days.

The vote for the gold watch for the most popular waiter was as follows: George D. Ware, Monongahela House, 450; James Smith, Merchants Hotel, 275; Mr. Watkins, St. Charles, 271.

Lay Delegation Vote.

The first vote on the subject of lay representation in the annual conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, took place in this city yesterday, in the Christ Church, Penn street, corner of Eighth. The vote, as will be seen, was almost unanimous, resulting as follows:

For Representation	117
Against Representation	2
Majority for	115

Among the voters were sixty-one of the female members of the congregation. It is evident that lay delegation is popular, when we see such a valuable constituency at that of Christ's Church voting so largely for it. The votes in other cities so far is almost unanimously in its favor, and it is opposed only by those who enjoy, with their other occupations, the title of "local preachers."

CRESSON SPRINGS.—This popular summer resort will be opened on the 15th inst., and as there will be great demand for accommodations, those who expect to spend the summer months outside the heat and dust of the city should apply early, as the advertisement elsewhere will suggest.

The Friendship Fire Company—The Difficulty to be Settled in Court.

We have already reported the disbandonment of the Friendship Fire Company of Allegheny, by order of the Council Committee on Fire Engines, in consequence of some trouble among the members, and also the organization of a new company. A number of the old members refused to disband, and claiming that they were the real organization, took possession of the Prize hose carriage, equipments and other property, which they asserted belonged to them and not to the city. Mr. H. R. Davis was Treasurer of the company at the time of the disbandonment, and had in his possession $700 of the company's money.

A demand was made by the old members that the Treasurer pay over the money to William Somerville, who had been elected in his place, but the demand was resisted on the grounds that the funds belonged to the organization reorganized by Councils, and had been contributed by the citizens of the ward and city to make that organization more efficient, and not for the benefit of the individual members. The old members of the company, determined to test the matter, have instituted proceedings in equity in the Court of Common Pleas. The complainants in their bill aver, among other things, that they are and have been since April, 1868, associated together under the name and style of "The Friendship Hose Company;" that, as such company, they received from time to time various sums of money, paid by Councils of Allegheny, to a foreman and seven other members, regularly on duty; that the company received from those members, for the use of the company, and had in their possession upwards of $700, which is the rightful property of the company; that the sum is now in the hands of H. R. Davis, at that time acting as treasurer, and that he refuses to hand over the amount to Wm. Somerville, who was regularly elected treasurer at a meeting of the company held April 24th, 1869. For these reasons the complainants ask the Court to "order and direct the said H. R. Davis, late Treasurer of the said Friendship Hose Company, to deliver up and pay over to the said Wm. Somerville, Treasurer of the said Company, all the funds of the company in his possession, and in the meantime to issue a preliminary injunction enjoining and commanding the said H. R. Davis not to pay out or dispose of the said funds otherwise than as hereinbefore prayed for." The bill is signed by James Hunter in behalf of himself and seventeen members of the old company. The Court will decide the matter at an early day.

Held to Answer.

W. J. Robinson and Wm. Shore were arrested by officers Marimer and Alstadt about two o'clock yesterday morning, for disorderly conduct at the house of Mrs. Bailey, No. 74 Fourth avenue. They had thrown a boulder through the window, demolished a mirror, and damaged other of the household furniture. They resisted the officers, and Robinson threatened officer Alstadt with violence. Yesterday morning Mayor Brush fined them $25 and costs each for disorderly conduct; required them to leave a deposit of $50 to pay for the damage done at the house, and held them to answer charges of assault and battery and surety of the peace, preferred by Mrs. Bailey and officer Alstadt.

A YOUTHFUL SWINDLER.—A colored boy, thirteen years of age, who sells newspapers at the railroad station on Federal street, Allegheny, yesterday morning stole a carpet sack and a roll of leather belonging to a gentleman on his way west, which the latter had placed on the floor near the ticket office, while he went to the window to get a ticket, and carried them to the baggage room. The traveler soon after missed the articles, and a search was at once instituted. After a considerable length of time, the colored boy asked the stranger what he would give to recover the lost articles, and was told a dollar. The lad departed and in a moment or so brought them from the baggage room. He received the dollar and decamped. After he had gone the owner learned of the trick.

LEISURE HOURS, for June, has appeared, and is a very readable number. Mr. McIlwaine has an article on "Midsummer Night's Dream," which will interest every admirer of Shakspeare. A biography of Gen. Harry White, with illustration; history of Pittsburgh, and other interesting articles make the June number very acceptable. O'Dwyer & Co., 59 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, publishers; terms, $2 per year.

NINETY DAYS IN JAIL.—Mayor Brush yesterday committed John Whipple to the county jail for ninety days on a charge of being a professional thief. Whipple, it will be remembered, was arrested at the Union Depot some nights since for picking the pocket of a passenger. The prosecutor was not present, and Mayor Brush sent Whipple up for ninety days as stated.

LEG BROKEN.—James Ormand made information before Mayor Brush yesterday, charging Robart Glass, Geo. McCartney and others with assault and battery. He alleged that on the 29th day of May, the defendants named and others violently pushed him down the steps of the Greenwood Hotel on Pipe street, thereby breaking his leg. Warrants were issued.

TO BE ENFORCED.—Chief Bowden, of Allegheny, notifies the owners of cows, horses, hogs, goats, etc., that hereafter it will be unlawful for any of the animals mentioned to run at large in the First, Second, Third and Fourth wards of that city. The fine for permitting any of said animals to run at large is $5, which will be inflicted in each and every case.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—A distressing accident happened at the Erie and Pittsburgh stations, at Greenville, Mercer county, on Thursday, resulting in the death of a lad twelve years old, son of a poor woman named Sheesely. The coal train which he was trying to get aboard of passed over his body, causing instant death.

BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.—Alderman Koenig of the Tenth ward, yesterday had a case of breach of promise of marriage before him. The parties to the suit were a Thomas Lamm and a woman who has kept house for him since the death of his wife.

NOT THE MAN.—Colonel George F. Morgan was not a delegate to the Judicial Convention, and therefore had no controversy with any person in that body, as some of his friends seem to think, from the manner in which they address him.

A FEMALE WAR.—Three young girls named Mollie Collins, Kate Raney and Mollie Oliver, became involved in a fight in a saloon in the Twelfth ward, yesterday, during which Miss Collins was severely pummeled. No arrests were made.

WORK COMMENCED.—Yesterday the work of laying the first two miles of track of the Connellsville Railroad extension was begun. The point at which the work was commenced is about one mile above Connellsville.

SALOON FIGHT.—John O'Brien and Pat. Williams quarrelled in the Oak Hall Saloon, on Smithfield street, yesterday, and the proprietor had them arrested and locked up. They will have a hearing this morning.

SENT TO JAIL.—Philip Luter was before Mayor Drum yesterday for abusing his wife. A fine of twenty dollars was imposed, which Philip could not pay and twenty days in jail was the result.

DELIRIUM TREMENS.—Several of the inmates of the county jail have had severe attacks of *delirium tremens* of late.

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WAY—JOHNSTON—By Rev. C. A. Holmes, on Thursday June 3d, Capt. NICHOLAS WAY to Miss MATTIE R. JOHNSTON, all of Sewickley, Pa.

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The Daily Commercial.

FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1869.

THE subject of the "unexpended balance" in the State Treasury, and kindred topics of reform, are attracting attention throughout the State, and many suggestions are made, some wise, others hardly practicable, and others again totally impracticable, but all having the object in view to meet in some form a reformation in the administration of State affairs, and particularly in the care of the money of the State. A communication published elsewhere, bearing on this subject, from a prominent and influential Republican, urges that the State Treasurer shall be eligible for only one term of service in the office. The reasons put forth in support of this proposition might be deemed novel in some parts of the State, but here in Allegheny county, within the past week, we have had ample evidence that they are founded on an existing state of facts. The subject invites discussion, and we print the communication of "North Side" without altogether indorsing his conclusions.

MR. GLADSTONE has maintained throughout, in the House of Commons, the stolidity of the Liberal majority, in the face of all the assaults, direct and indirect, masked and open, made by the Tories. Two months ago his Irish Church bill was read a second time in the Commons, by a vote of 358 to 250, and on Monday it passed finally a third reading, by a vote of 361 to 247. There would be nothing remarkable in the preservation of a party majority in this country, in this absolute and compact manner but in England it has not many precedents, as political parties as well as constituencies tolerate a greater freedom there than is permitted in the United States. The number of members elected under pledges to support MR. GLADSTONE gave him a clear majority of 114, and throughout the whole struggle his majority has not varied a half dozen votes from that figure.

IT is gratifying that the principles of the JENCKES Civil Service Bill are gaining ground with the heads of Departments and leading statesmen, and that the Bill in its main feature is likely to receive a largely increased degree of favor at the next session of Congress. The contest for the offices through which the country has just passed, has been not without its influence on the public mind. It has demonstrated the demoralizing effect of the scramble which attends every change in the administration of the Government, and done much to pave the way for the better system contemplated by the JENCKES Bill. With the offices removed perpetually from a scramble of this kind, how many millions would be saved annually, and what great benefits, social and political, would accrue we shall never know until we have made the trial. But we can safely assume that the millions would be many and the benefits next to incalculable. We are glad to know that the influence of President GRANT and his administration will be given in favor of the reform contained in the JENCKES Bill. No one knows better than the President himself how necessarily demoralizing in every sense is the present system of making appointments. Having gone through the scramble incident to his induction into office, and, as we are assured, being painfully sensible that he has in many instances been imposed upon in making his selections, and by a thousand reasons, gained in the first quarter of his first Presidential year, convinced that the proposed change is needed, we are prepared to hear that he will give to it his warmest indorsement in his next message.

THE Tax Levy in New York city for the current year, provides for a distribution of the public funds for the benefit of Roman Catholic private schools, which is a departure from the practice which has prevailed for several years. The change has given rise to much discussion, and to a degree at least, it bids fair to revive the feeling which preceded the "Know Nothing" movement. New York, like other States, has a Common School System and a fund in which all alike, without regard to religious faith, participate. This system the Catholics there, as elsewhere, refuse to recognise and demand that what they claim as their share of the fund shall be given to them for the support of their denominational schools. To this the last Legislature acceded,—hence the discussion. The question is not likely to be—in fact is not—confined to New York. The Catholics not only there, but everywhere, claim that their children cannot be safely trusted to receive their education at schools which are not under Catholic control, on the ground that the education taught under the common school system is heretical and heathenish. This idea, we believe, necessarily inheres with the Roman Catholic faith, and is manifested according to circumstances relating to the chances for giving it precedence. Were it to prevail, and the Catholics permitted to have a share of the public funds for schools of their faith, other denominations, of course, would, with as much right, claim their respective portions, and thus there would be no common schools, none but those of a denominational character. But no other denomination advances the claims set up by the Catholics, and none is likely to. The intelligence of the people, except perhaps, in a few large cities, where the Catholics are most numerous, will ever prove a security against an idea so at variance with the principles of our Goveenment.

MR. MOTLEY AT HIS POST.

The American Minister, Mr. MOTLEY is in London and was to have had audience with the Queen, for the presentation of his credentials, on Wednesday last. The London papers profess to have had an inkling of Mr. MOTLEY's instructions. The *Pall Mall Gazette* boasts that they cover a complete back down before "British pluck;" the *Times* declares they contain no new demands, and the other journals publish complimentary notices of the new Minister, and insist that everything looks well for a satisfactory adjustment.

It is absurd to suppose that the London papers have any reliable information as to what Mr. MOTLEY, under the instructions of his government, proposes to do. His speeches at Liverpool were friendly, and it was his duty to make them so; but they were not of the gushing description that characterized the oratory of his predecessor, and they uniformly insisted that the only enduring basis of peace was justice and fair dealing. This kind of talk we much prefer at this time, to the usual unmeaning generalities about a common origin and language, SHAKSPEARE and MILTON. It has been so much the fashion to sugar coat every disputed question with England with this kind of verbiage that it has lost its force if it ever possessed any. Therefore, Mr. MOTLEY's words as to justice and fair dealing being the only securities of peace, are strikingly appropriate and to the point. How the London papers can torture such declarations into a concession to "British pluck," we are puzzled to know; and the Liverpool speeches of the Minister are all they have to go on, as he, of all others, is most unlikely to diplomatize with British journals before he has been officially presented, or at any other time.

We have no idea that there will be a war with England. Even if it would gratify the military spirit of the nation, and rejoice the politicians, it would be distasteful and ruinous to financial and commercial interests; and more than ever, the solid men of the Union have now voice and influence in its policy. Of course we shall submit to nothing that is wrong, and shall insist upon full indemnity for the past; but these ends may be accomplished without firing a gun or equipping an iron clad.

We are inclined to think the English press is correct only in one particular—that Mr. MOTLEY's instructions are not at all of a belligerent character. They have not been based upon Mr. SUMNER's speech, and will do much toward allaying the excitement in both countries—engendered on the one hand by the speech of the Senator, and on the other by the violent and unfair tone of the English press. The Government will maintain its own dignity and enforce respect from others; but no effort will be made to bully or intimidate the English Government into terms. The question will not be precipitated by Mr. MOTLEY, but if a favorable opportunity presents itself it will be taken advantage of, and negotiations will at no time be resisted by him. The public receives its news by Cable, but the Government can not accept information which reaches Washington in an unofficial form. It must wait for mails, sometimes long delayed, and frequently so incomplete is the information which is received officially, that inquiries are necessary to be returned time after time. The Government thus gets the name of procrastinating the public business, when, in truth, it is being expedited as rapidly as the mails and the dignity of English diplomacy render possible.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

Since 1869, special taxes have been raised in New York to the amount of $4,950,000 for the erection of the new City Hall. Yet the building as it stands did not cost more than $2,000,000. Net steal so far, $2,950,000. Nor is the hall completed. It is too good a thing to finish.

Two gentlemen from Massachusetts are constructing at Troy a "cigar ship," composed of two big cigar-shaped cylinders, with engine works and paddle-wheels between. The cylinders are 100 feet long and 8 feet in diameter each. They expect to obtain with it a speed of forty miles per hour. It will be remembered that Ross Winans constructed one similar some years ago.

Justice Swayne, of the Supreme Court, is now holding a session of the United States Circuit Court at New Orleans. Justice Campbell was the last Justice of the United States Supreme Court who presided in that District. Justice Swayne is the first to preside since before the war. One of the most important cases that will come before Justice Swayne will be that of Mrs. Gaines, who has never been able to secure a settlement of the judgments in her favor in the United States District Court.

At Albany, New York, on Friday of last week, a man presented himself at the police court, who said that he was without money, home, work, clothes, or even whisky. He was of reputable breeding, had been of respectable society, and once had bright prospects in life. But, in an evil hour, he had become a member of the Assembly from a district contiguous to New York city. That was in 1857. Since then his career downward had been straight and certain. He had some hopes of reformation, but they lay only in his thorough abstinence from liquor. He asked to be sent to the Penitentiary for thirty days, and to that institution a passport was given him.

Daily open-air concerts are now given in Central Park, New York. In addition to this attractive and enjoyable feature, a "Park Carriage Service" is about being introduced. The vehicles are said to be new and elegant, and are to be in charge of uniformed drivers. An excursion through the park may be made for twenty-five cents.

The other day the butchers of Chicago had a match game of "killing" for the championship. Since then the bootblacks have had a friendly set-to, in which "Peanut Jim" was victorious in speed and finish over "Three Cent Bill."

In Paris, a few weeks ago, a little boy, who had been beaten and starved by his mother, was sent to the hospital, and soon exhibited an appearance of health which was not appreciated by his amiable parent. She accordingly presented herself among the friends of the sick, and asked to see her child. A parcel of cakes descried by the *concierge* excited his attention, no visitor being allowed to bring eatables to a patient unless authorized to do so by a doctor. The cakes were accordingly forfeited and examined. The pastry was of a flaky nature, and admitted of being separated. Between the layers the ingenious mother had introduced the powdered tops of lucifer matches, nicely sugared over—"enough in one," declared Dr. Rousseau, "to poison two adults." The mother, on examination, remarked that children had never pleased her, and that having, chiefly by starvation, got rid of her little girl, she had resolved to rid herself of her son also.

A turnpike road is now in course of construction between Jaffa, the old Joppa, on the sea coast, and Jerusalem, a distance of thirty-six miles. The engineering is very rude, but part of the road is already finished, driven by a New England stage driver, one of the survivors of the American colony at Jaffa. The Turkish Government has collected $250,000 to pay for the road, and also compels the inhabitants to work upon it, at a very low rate of wages. Toll-gates have already been established. Jaffa is only accessible in a calm; but with this disadvantage, its exports of cotton, fruit, oil and sesame seed amount to $2,000,000 per annum.

Though business was of late very low at the government printing office, there will soon be a mountain of work for the Washington printers. It will be fifteen or sixteen books of four hundred pages each, on the Alabama claims. After that, let nobody say our claims are trifling, or that our diplomacy is a light and amusing recreation.

Natick, Massachusetts, seventeen miles west of Boston, is the "Oldtown" of Mrs. Stowe's novel.

The *German Hotel Keepers' Journal* estimates the number of Americans who visited Germany in 1868 at 45,000.

A correspondent of the Boston *Commercial Bulletin* says: "There is one thing about Spain that I like—one remnant of greatness that hath the true ring to it—the Spanish dollar. Everywhere it commands its full value; and it is current in every country under the sun."

Division of the School Fund.

The Catholics of New York have made a beginning towards the accomplishment of their long cherished plans of having the public funds appropriated for the support of their sectarian schools. The tax levy for New York city, which was passed in the closing hours of the late Legislature, contains a clause which will give the Catholic schools of that city about $300,000 of the public money. The children who are educated at these schools could just as well go to the public schools, which are open to all, and the reason they do not is that the church wants to keep them under closer control. There would be a great hue and cry, and justly, if any Protestant denomination was favored in this way; but it would have just as good claims as the Catholics. If this misappropriation of the public moneys is continued, the free school system of New York is doomed.

Exposition of Textile Fabrics.

An exposition of textile fabrics is to be held at Cincinnati, commencing August 3d and closing on the 7th. It is to be under the auspices of the Woolen Manufacturers' Association of the Northwest. An invitation is extended to the manufacturers of wool, cotton, silk, hemp and flax, and also to the growers of wool and cotton. The number of mills engaged in these manufactures in the United States is put down by the managers of the coming exposition at 3,500, distributed as follows: Connecticut, 218; Vermont, 68; Maine, 100; Massachusetts, 593; New Hampshire, 150; Rhode Island, 292. Total New England, 1,487. The others are thus divided: Alabama, 11; Delaware, 19; Georgia, 47; Illinois, 133; Indiana, 115; Iowa, 52; Kentucky, 24; Kansas, 7; Maryland, 35; Michigan, 55; Missouri, 27; Wisconsin, 42; Mississippi, 14; North Carolina, 40; New Jersey, 116; New York, 365; Oregon, 8; Ohio, 114; Pennsylvania, 517; South Carolina, 40; Tennessee, 40; Virginia, 24.

Peculiar Village Government.

A somewhat peculiar village government exists in Clarksville, Ky., described by the Louisville *Courier*, as follows: The trustees of Clarksville number nine, and form a kind of independent confederacy in the heart of our Republic. They are elected for life, and as each member dies a new one is elected by the Board to fill his place. In fact, they have delegated to themselves, by the charter of the town, extraordinary powers. Some years ago a dispute arose between the trustees and proprietors of a flour mill within the limits of the town. The case went clear up to the Supreme Court of the United States, and resulted in the proprietors of the mill having to pay the trustees one per cent. of all their profits for the use of the river bank as a road. It is said that under the provisions of the charter of Clarksville the State Government cannot compel it to pay any school tax nor bear any of the general expenses of the State."

IF we are to believe the sensational reports published in some of our local papers, an iron-clad steamer is being fitted out in Baltimore for service in Cuban waters, under Cuban patriots against the Spaniards. This may or may not be true. If it is, we sincerely hope that the vessel may get away and do good service for her owners. But we suggest that publication of all the details of her purchase, outfit, armament and deficiencies will not be likely to insure such a result. If the United States officials did not know of her presence and preparations before, or were disposed to wink at them, they cannot plead such an excuse now. They will be compelled to institute an investigation and seize the vessel, if it is evident that a violation of the law is intended. It would have been much kinder if the professed friends of the Cubans had preserved silence, even if they had been troubled with scruples against the supposed illegal action of the owners of the ship.

THE number of deaths by wounds and camp diseases in time of war, it is asserted, falls far below the deaths by the epidemic diseases produced among the inhabitants dwelling in the territories where the military operations are carried on. The Austrian Statistical Commission has recently been publishing tables showing the mortality attendant upon the short war in 1866 between Prussia and Austria, from which it appears that the losses to the Austrian army amounted to 84,053 souls, of whom only 11,000 died in battle or from the effects of wounds. In Austria and Hungary 235,000 persons died of cholera and other epidemics. In five provinces north of the river Leytha, the increase of deaths in 1866 over 1865 amounted to 205,475, and in the Bukovina one person out of every thirteen died.

WITHIN the last seventeen years four general elections by universal suffrage have taken place in France. The first came off in 1852 in the stupor caused by the coup d'etat. The liberal party abstained, and the Legislative Corps was unanimous. In 1857 a slight breath was felt, and the new chamber contained just five men who personified the desire for freedom. By 1863 the five had grown to nearly thirty. No wonder that the elections of 1869 so powerfully excited attention in Europe. The separation of the ultra democracy from the moderate republicans and Orleanists, helped the Government amazingly in the provinces. However, public spirit is awake again, and we expect to see a constant development of liberty as we understand it, or a succession of emeutes and rows,—perhaps a war.

THE New York *Times* declares that the value of our railroad freight in 1867 was no less than $10,472,250,000: or four times the national debt; that the average annual increase for the ten years preceding had been $737,000,000, and that we had in 1867 39,000 miles of railroad. It estimates that in 1880 we shall have 70,000 miles, which will transport 140,000,000 tons of freight, valued at $20,000,000,000; while our population will then equal 50,000,000. If these anticipations are correct, and they do not seem to be exaggerated the country was never increasing so fast as now in wealth and resources; and the war, instead of proving destructive to our national wealth, has probably increased it by the stimulus it gave and the freedom it afforded for expansion in all directions.

PITTSBURGH MANUFACTURES.

THE POOR MAN'S SOLACE.

How Good Chewing Tobacco is Made.

RINEHART'S TOBACCO FACTORY.

A few months since a popular writer gave the public his experience as a consumer of the tranquilizing weed. By a skillful grouping of facts, and through dint of downright assertions depending for their support more or less upon the prejudice of the ignorant, he proved to his own satisfaction that the use of tobacco was to the last degree injurious to the mind and body. A physician, occupying a prominent position in his profession, following directly in the wake of the magazinist, exploded his carefully constructed theories one after the other in a manner that reminded one of the success which attends the operations of a well drilled corps of sappers and miners. In this, as in a number of instances where discussions concerning the evil or beneficial influence of tobacco have taken a wide range, speculations were overturned by facts. These discussions are revived periodically, but since the day King James issued his counter-blast, we doubt if they accomplish anything beyond furnishing employment to the printers and amusement to the public. People who are not inclined to take their opinions at second hand, whether they smoke or chew, smile at the repeated attempts to disprove facts which they themselves have verified. There are many grounds upon which the use of tobacco cannot only be defended, but strongly urged. One of the strongest pleas in favor of tobacco is the solace it affords the poor. A close observer of human nature says: "Those who smoke or chew because they look upon it as a fashion of the time, and those who gratify their taste with the choicest and most costly description of tobacco, cannot appreciate the luxury of smoking as it is enjoyed by the man who pays three pence for his ounce of the weed. It is the difference between a plain leg of mutton to a hungry man and bread and cheese to an epicure."

"He needs no napkin for his hands,
His finger-ends to wipe;
That hath his kitchen in a box,
His roast meat in a pipe."

Robert Hall invariably preached his best sermons after a pipe. Dr. Parr, famous as a speaker and writer, never wrote well except under the inspiration of tobacco. Hobbs, the philosopher of his day, smoked a dozen of pipes every afternoon. Newton was an inveterate smoker. Carlyle, Tennyson, Napoleon III, and scores of the eminent men of all nations use tobacco in various ways. Lamb, Coleridge, Campbell, Byron, Moore, Scott, Palmerston were addicted to tobacco. Some of the most inveterate chewers and smokers the world ever saw reached a ripe old age. Let any one attempt to enumerate the men of four score and upwards throughout the country who enjoy their tobacco in the chimney corner, and they will confess that it does not seem to imperil either health or old age. But without attempting to discuss the chemical phase of the question, inasmuch as it will be admitted that tobacco, whether smoked or chewed, supplies a want to the workingman which neither food nor drink can replace, and at the same time a cheap gratification, let us explain how it is prepared for the market.

THE UNION TOBACCO FACTORY.

This factory was established in 1838, by its present proprietors, W. & D. RINEHART, who have been engaged ever since in the manufacture of all kinds of tobacco, snuff and cigars, with the exception of the last eight years, when they discontinued the manufacture of cigars, and devoted their attention exclusively to black, or chewing tobacco. We question very much if one out of a thousand of those who pass Nos. 149 and 151 Wood street daily conceive any idea of the character and magnitude of the work manufactured in this establishment. Yet here is a concern that pays the government a revenue largely exceeding the highest amount paid by our largest iron or steel works!* Perhaps this single fact, when duly considered, will do much towards removing the exaggerated ideas entertained by the opponents of tobacco. A business that pays upwards of ten thousand dollars per month into the public coffer will scarcely be considered offensive by tax-payers. The more of these the merrier. If the question was put to a public vote, we have no doubt the community would not murmur if instead of one, we had a score of similar concerns.

PREPARING THE LEAF.

Perhaps there is not one out of a thousand readers who have not seen and examined the natural leaf, as it is taken from the hogshead in which it is shipped from the South. Shrivelled up, so dry as to crumble when handled carelessly, it presents the color of a dry oak leaf, lacking its smoothness and stiffness. When in the field, these leaves present a smooth surface and outline, forming a plant as high as a man's waist, and covering an area of from ten to twelve feet. The plant is handled seven times before it enters the packing case, where it is subjected to a heavy pressure. That handful of dry leaves you take from the hogshead, under proper treatment may be expanded to their original size, may be rendered pliable, fragrant and sweet to the nostrils of the most captious of epicures. This is how it is done in RINEHART's factory. The casings are removed in the cellar, the tobacco carried up to the third story, and placed in

THE STEAM BOX,

Where it remains from fifteen to twenty minutes. When placed in the steam-box, the leaves are tied in what is termed "hands." The interior of the box is filled with a number of stretchers, upon which the tobacco is laid. When taken out of the box, the leaf that was so dry as to crumble in your hands fifteen minutes ago is now limp and pliable as a wet cloth. The light, snuff color has disappeared, and a rich brown taken its place. The "hands" that is, separated carefully from each other, preparatory to the

CASING PROCESS.

The term "sweet tobacco" is based upon something more than mere fancy. All chewing tobacco is sweetened with a liquid composed of liquorice and sugar. The liquorice employed is either "stick" or what is termed "mass" liquorice. The concern consumes upwards of three hundred pounds of liquorice per day, together with a vast quantity of sugar. The latter is brought from Havana, and possesses a flavor superior to that made in the Southern States. The liquorice and sugar are placed in large tubs, in which steam pipes are introduced, a small portion of water added, and the compound reduced to a syrup. The liquorice is clean, the sugar clean, possessing a fine flavor, and wholly free from grit. The slightest adulteration would be instantly detected in the liquorice tubs. The "sprigs" are now placed in a huge revolving cylinder, or drum, the syrup sprinkled over them, and the drum set in motion. When the "sprigs" are thoroughly saturated with the syrup, and flavored, they are conveyed to the spinning room. In the composition of the syrup, and the character and proportion of materials employed to flavor the tobacco, rare skill and experience are required, since it is here that the reputation of an establishment is frequently made or marred. Almost any consumer of the weed can detect in a moment the difference between fine, middling and poorly flavored tobacco.

THE SPINNING ROOM.

From the moment the tobocco leaves the casing room, it carries with it a sweet, pungent odor. The spinning room is redolent with the odor of the flavor. The brown, moist leaves are tempting in a way, even to one who is a stranger to the delights of the weed. Carried in baskets or boxes, they are emptied under long tables, beneath which bare armed lads sit with their legs crossed in the true oriental style, busily engaged in removing the stems from the leaves. Bare arms, however, are the rule everywhere. Men, women and boys bare their arms to the shoulder. Their hands and arms reek with the juice and syrup. Yet they do not exhibit any of those symptoms of enervation or disease dwelt upon by the advocates of total abstinence.† Hearty, strong, active, they pursue their labor precisely as though they were engaged in the healthiest business in the world. The statisticians employed by the opponents of tobacco, we opine, must obtain their figures elsewhere than in a tobacco factory.

"STRIPPING."

The operation of removing the stems is termed "stripping." The fibers of the leaf, now that it is moist, are rendered tough. The lad places a pile of leaves on his knee, takes them up singly, and with a dexterous movement removes the stem. The stems accumulate in a pile on one side of him, the half leaves on the other. The stems finally find their way to our well ordered gardens where they render excellent service as a fertilizer,‡ forwarding our early vegetables, while the stripped leaves are put up in "pads" or bunches and removed to

THE SPINNING TABLE.

Here a girl separates the pads deftly, laying out the wrappers or half leaves close beside each other in a straight line, and in such a manner as to enable the spinner to work them up in a rope. The spinner holds in his right hand a flat piece of wood, strapped like a horse brush. Picking up the wrappers, he rolls them regularly in one direction, twists the end of the rope thus formed around a large spool, which is turned by an assistant, fast or slow, as occasion demands. In this manner a continuous rope is made varying from two to three hundred feet in length, and about half an inch in diameter. This is the beginning of the celebrated brand known as

THE BEE HIVE SPUN ROLL.

From the spool, the roll is now unwound into a basket, conveyed to the fourth story and run off upon frames. The frames, made of wood, are light and easily handled. Swung on pivots, a lad whirls them around rapidly, winding the rolls over them from end to end, distributing them equally over the entire frame. These frames are afterwards taken to a drying room and made ready for the drawing process.

MAKING THE RAW ROLLS.

The continuous roll or rope we have followed thus far is now run off upon a revolving drum, to be made into raw rolls. These revolve horizontally, with the slightest movement. Young women are employed in this department. Standing before long benches, with the rolls beside them, they take up one end, make a loop over a measure adjusted to the table, then wrap the loop from end to end, break the rope, and fling the raw roll upon the table. In this manner a young girl turns off fifteen hundred rolls per day. The raw rolls are next, put in bins ready "to call," or, in other words, prepared for

THE PRESS ROOM.

The press room in the UNION FACTORY occupies the first floor of No. 151. Here the raw rolls are placed in the moulds, which in their turn are placed in a retainer, and the whole subjected to an enormous pressure. The construction of the moulds is peculiar. A heavy wrought iron pan, about two inches in depth, is divided into a number of compartments, or chambers, large enough to admit two raw rolls. A cover, chiefly composed of hard wood, capped with iron, is constructed in such a manner as to permit the wood, in the shape of separate blocks, to fill the chambers. When the raw rolls are placed in the latter the cover is laid upon it, and in this manner fifteen moulds are set above each other upon a heavy iron stand, with upright pillars, and a heavy top-plate. The last is dropped upon the full moulds, and pressed down gradually by means of a nut affixed to the pillars. These are termed the retainers. The concern employs eighteen retainers constantly. Ten retainers hold fifteen moulds, each mould eighty rolls, or plugs. The remainder hold what is termed "finishers." When the moulds are ready for the press, they are run up on a railway track to a hydraulic press with a capacity of three hundred tons pressure. The retainer is then removed, the moulds held in their place half a day, and the tobacco next placed in

THE FINISHER,

Where it is subjected to the full force of the press. The finisher is made of heavy cast iron cast in chambered segments, the outer sides describing a circle, the inner sides a square. These are chambered or ribbed simply for strength and bound round with heavy wrought iron bands. One side of the finisher opens on hinges. The rolls or plugs are placed in the finisher between thin metallic plates, which are oiled to prevent the plugs from adhering to them. When the finishers are subjected to the press, they too are permitted to stand from three to four hours. When the tobacco is removed from the finishers, the rolls are as square as though cut by a chisel, and as dense as fine grained wood. Like the immortal J. N., however, they are destined to sustain a constant pressure.

THE PACKING PROCESS.

All chewing tobacco, whether packed in boxes, butts, kegs or caddies, is packed with a powerful screw press. Say it is a box or a butt. The box is clamped with powerful iron clamps, keyed up, the plugs packed up carefully, and the box placed under a screw press. The lever is turned gradually, forcing the tobacco into a very small compass. After standing a sufficient length of time, the box is headed, and removed to

THE SWEATING HOUSE,

Where it is subjected to a temperature varying from one hundred and twenty to one hundred and thirty degrees. The boxes are still clamped, and remain clamped until they are conveyed to the salesroom, where they are stamped according to law. The concern manufactures seven different kinds of chewing tobacco, viz: Patent Atlantic Cable, American Coil, Beehive, Spunroll, Navy Pound and Halves, Flounders, Union Twist, Quarters, and a bright natural leaf chewing tobacco, termed "Flag of the Union." The most celebrated of these is

THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

The manufactured black tobacco known as "Atlantic Cable" was patented by Messrs. RINEHART, January, 1869. The "fillers" after being "cased" and "stripped" as noted in the manufacture of "spun roll," are rolled on the tables by men employed for that purpose, in segments about three and a half feet long, commonly called "breaks." These are conveyed to the

DRYING ROOM,

Where they are dried sufficiently to insure their entire freedom from water, leaving nothing but the pure syrup mixture in the tobacco. Great care and experience is required in this department. If the tobacco is dried too much, the inner portion of the breaks assumes a burnt, rusty color; if not dried sufficiently, there is danger of the material spoiling. The breaks are next taken to the second story, placed in a steam box, and drawn from the dry, brittle condition consequent upon the drying process into a condition for work. Here they are spun into a continuous coil and "run up" upon a drum, from which the coil is turned off in layers fourteen inches across the center. The layers are then transferred to the pressing room, and placed singly in a "finisher," differing from the others in that they are perfectly round, and each layer separated by sheets of iron, cut to the required size. After remaining in this five hours the layers are packed in kegs, clamped and taken to the sweat house, duly sweated and transferred to the front of the building, where all the packages are cleaned, branded and prepared for the market. Messrs. Rinehart have largely improved upon their machinery, substituting machine made for hand made work wherever it has been found to improve the quality. A notable instance is

THE NAVY MACHINE.

In the old method, the fillers, after being dried, were removed to the workmen's bench, and there rolled, in shop parlance, in "break wrappers" a round lump cut into the desired lengths, and retransferred to the drying room in lumps, redried, covered with an unsweetened wrapper and taken to the press room, where they were pressed singly in the chambers. In using the Navy Machine, all the difficulty in procuring the "break wrappers" is avoided. The fillers are dried, then removed to the second floor of the building, where the machine is located. The fillers are now placed in a trough in which a thin silver of wood fits neatly. The trough is then passed under wheels, which also fit the trough exactly, and the tobacco removed, while the trough is withdrawn by a set of rollers to the side upon which it entered. The tobacco is run upon a table, cut into the desired lengths, covered with an unsweetened wrapper, and is immediately ready for the press room, thus avoiding a break wrapper, and the re-drying required in the hand-made work, no trifling matter. The plugs made in the navy machine are more regular in weight and shape, and present an appearance vastly superior to the hand-made work.

THE MANUFACTURE OF SNUFF.

In the manufacture of snuff the best tobacco is selected, cased in the manner already described, bulked in bins, dried, cut and placed in the "mulls" to be ground to a uniform consistency. The construction of these mulls is very simple. Four metal rollers, about a foot in length and five inches in diameter, are set on end in a metal trough. These revolve on their axis in such a manner as to pulverize the tobacco to a fine powder. Four of these mulls are employed in this establishment. From the mulls the pulverized tobacco is conveyed to a bolting machine, bolted and packed in bladders for the market.

The establishment has in constant operation eighteen retainers, sixteen screw presses and twelve finishers, furnishes employment to one hundred and seventy-five hands, and works up upwards of four hundred thousand pounds of tobacco per annum, fifty-five per cent. of which is shipped to the Eastern market.¶ The Union factory occupies a building four stories in height, forty-four feet front and eighty-five feet deep. Also, a new three-storied building ninety feet long in the rear of the main building.

*The tax paid by this concern at the present time exceeds the highest tax paid by our largest iron or steel works when the latter were subjected to the highest tax imposed.

†All the facts tend to prove that the cases are extremely rare where epidemics affect the operatives employed in tobacco factories. The highest medical authority pronounces the plant a disinfectant, and advises its employment for that purpose.

‡Our experienced gardeners employ the stems as a preventive against the ravages of the worms, bugs and various insects which, when unchecked, rob us of our fruits and vegetables.

¶Pittsburgh numbers six tobacco factories, engaged in the business of manufacturing plug, or chewing tobacco, and upwards of seventy cigar factories, the greater portion of which, however are limited in their operations. The extent of the manufacture in the city, we may add, is known to but few of our citizens. For years we have been recognized abroad as one of the foremost northern cities engaged in this business. The returns of the Government officers at the present time show that this reputation rests upon a tangible basis. Two years ago, the tobacco tax exceeded the entire amount paid by our iron mills.

PERSONAL.

A Baltimore paper speaks of Reverdy Johnson as reaching the bosom of his family in a few days, and adds: "Shall we allow English cities to do more honor to our fellow-citizen [illegible] Mr. Johnson a dinner of soft crabs and strawberries that will make him think himself in heaven, indeed."

The New York *Sun* declares Secretary Borie incompetent for the position he fills by reason of physical debility. "His nervous system," the *Sun* says, "is broken down. He can not read or write for an hour at a time. He can not fix his mind intently on any subject without suffering pain in consequence. He can only live by having no serious occupation, and simply amusing himself."

Secretary Fish is the only member of the Cabinet who is keeping house in Washington. He has the house formerly occupied by Senator Morgan. In person Governor Fish presents the appearance of a refined, dignified gentleman. He is of medium size and height, with florid complexion, strong, prominent features, and side whiskers deeply tinged with gray. He is a rapid and earnest conversationalist, and dispatches business as he conducts conversation, with energy. He will make a good Secretary of State, and will leave the office $50,000 poorer than he entered it.

A gossippy correspondent has this to say of Secretary Cox: "Nature designed him for a man of mark. Personally he is the finest looking man in Washington. He is just six feet in height, of elegant figure, and fine, expressive features. His hair and eyes are of a dark brown, and his cheeks are ruddy with health. His demeanor is that of the courtly gentleman, and his dress is faultless in style and arrangement. Office-seekers swarm around his private apartments and he receives all kindly, unless satisfied that the place-hunter is utterly unworthy. He is a keen judge of men, and is not likely to be imposed upon by the specious and pretentious. The intimate friends of Secretary Cox believe that he has by no means reached the official height to which his talents and character entitle him, and predict for him an elevation beyond which no man attains in America. His family, consisting of a beautiful and accomplished wife and four children, is in Cincinnati, and will join him in the autumn, when they will probably enter upon housekeeping in a moderate way."

Dickens is *hors du* platform. His physicians have forbidden his reading any more, lest his health be broken irreparably in the attempt. He looks broken down. The rose is still in his button hole when he appears on the streets, but it has faded from his cheeks.

Ex-Governor Addison C. Gibbs, of Portland, Oregon, left home a fortnight ago, and came by the Union Pacific Railway. The actual running time from San Francisco to Omaha was four days and a half. In 1851, he left New York for Oregon, in company with General Joe Lane, and was one hundred and nineteen days in making the trip.

General Schenck expects to sail for Europe next Wednesday. American politicians will throng the lanes and alleys of the continent this summer. It is cheaper than Saratoga or Newport.

Rev. Robert Collyer lectured on "The Inside Track," at Chicago, on Monday evening. The heads of his discourse were: 1. How to get a good start. 2. How to get a good wife. 3. How to get a good home. 4. When to begin. 5. What to do when you have got them.

Jacob Belser, the former negro pressman of the Montgomery *Mail*, is a candidate for Congress in Alabama.

The attacks on Governor Geary, in the Philadelphia *Telegraph*, are attributed to the pen of Colonel A. K. McClure.

Hail Storm at West Alexander, Pa.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

WEST ALEXANDER, PA., June 2, 1869.

On Friday last, 28th of May, this place and vicinity was visited by one of the most terrific hail storms that has ever been heard of here. It passed in streaks from Wheeling in an almost direct line due east, stripping trees of their foliage, cutting down fields of grain, hardly leaving a stalk standing; beating fruit from the trees, and smashing the windows of all the houses unprotected by shutters. The hail stones were from the size of a walnut with the hull on down to the size of a hickory nut. Stock exposed to its fury in some instances were almost killed. It was certainly one of the most terrific storms that ever visited this section. The number of panes of glass broken in this village amounted to over three thousand.

A base ball club called Hope, was organized in this place May 20th, 1869, and now meets twice a week. Prof. Cowden, of the West Alexander Academy, was elected President; Jacob Nease, Vice President; T. A. Haggerty, Secretary; F. E. Post, Umpire, and Jos. Kelly, Jr., Scorer. They are now prepared to go in on their muscle.

J. K.

Decoration Day at Poland, Ohio.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

POLAND, O., June 1, 1869.

The citizens of Poland, with patriotic pride, remember that Poland was the "Banner township" of Mahoning county, O., in sending soldiers into the field to assist in putting down the accursed rebellion which was the cause of the shedding of so many tears by the friends of departed ones. A number of our brave boys sleep the sleep of death in distant lands. A large concourse of people assembled on the appointed day to assist in and witness the ceremony of decorating the graves of the few who sleep at home in their "own beloved land." May we ever hail with joy these acts of devotion to the memory of our brave departed ones.

L.

MR. HENRY N. POOR's recently published work on the railroads of the United States shows that the State having the largest proportionate mileage is Massachusetts, which has one mile of road to 5.47 square miles of area. The State of Ohio has one mile of line to 11.76 square miles. A ratio similar to that for Massachusetts would give to the whole country 600,000 miles of line. One similar to that for Ohio, 300,000 miles. The number of miles in operation in all the States on the 1st of January last was 42,255, which is a nearly eight fold increase since the 1st of January, 1848. The progress of railway building was during the last year greater than at any former period.

THE STATE MONEYS.

The Necessity for a New System—Certainty of the Change.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

If the spirit of the recommendations as set forth in the columns of the COMMERCIAL for some days past, with regard to the surplus money remaining at times in the State Treasury, had been embodied in a series of resolutions, and presented to the late Conventions, they would have been adopted by an overwhelming majority. But "past things are not dead;" the vast majority of the Republicans of Allegheny county are terribly in earnest, that having taken indemnity for the past the other day, they will also inaugurate security for the future against the machinations of a Ring never distinguished for anything but trickery.

Your suggestions, or something akin to them however, as to the State funds, in justice to the people of this great State, are certain to take the form of a settled law next winter.

We are much mistaken if the serious intention of the masses of the party, if it does not inaugurate another reform, namely, that the State Treasurer shall not be eligible for two successive terms of office.

These reforms will, to use a bull by way of antithesis, prevent the officer from regarding his primary term as merely secondary to the securing re-election for a second term. It will give him his entire time during his one term of living adjacent to the Treasury, and if he reflects daily on the eleventh commandment, he will also be relieved of all anxiety in the selection in particular districts of members of the House, of plastic dispositions for private purposes next winter at Harrisburg.

It will prevent even ourselves from making blunders, or neglecting the period when State officials are selected at the Capitol; and if Allegheny county, whose splendid majority is the great *oriflamme* on the sharp end of the lance of the Republican hosts of the Union, is to be honored in the selection of a State office, it shall not go (the next thing) by default. This point is very certain.

It will cure a not very select few we wot of, of another kindred delusion—that some thirty thousand voters, at least of average intelligence, are not capable of taking the responsibility of selecting county and legislative places, and show them, too, that they are not afraid to say so in open air, outside a rat-hole in some back office.

These reforms must be made; every body is agreed to it. Even the "old lady" up street, who is so jolly (vide Mark Tapley's speech just after a hard shake of the ague) over the result of the last Conventions, will second the motion. We are all delighted; and the reforms could be consummated next winter at Harrisburg by an unanimous vote.

NORTH SIDE.

THE UNEXPENDED BALANCE.

Why It is Needed and for What.

[From the Lancaster Express.]

One important measure introduced and most ably sustained in debate last winter by Mr. Billingfelt, was an amendment to the appropriation bill, requiring the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to make payment at once of about eight hundred thousand dollars of five per cent. State loan, which does not fall due until the first day of July, 1870, and thus save the interest for that time, amounting to about fifty thousand dollars. It was shown by Mr. Billingfelt and others that the holders of this loan would be glad to have it paid off, in order that they might invest the money to better advantage; that there was and would be abundance of money in the Treasury to redeem that amount of the debt and have more than enough left to meet all the current demands against the Commonwealth, and that the money was lying idle in the Treasury and earning no interest for the State. The debate was long and earnest, and it was made manifest that the only *real* ground of opposition to the measure was the fact that the *State Treasurer* would be deprived of the opportunity to place or keep this money of the State at interest for his own individual profit. The proposal, therefore, was simply to save the interest to the taxpayers of the State, to whom it unquestionably belonged, instead of allowing it to go into the pocket of the State Treasurer, who has no right to it whatever. The question was well stated by Senator Lowry, as follows:

Mr. Speaker, I am surprised at the course that Senators are taking here in regard to this question. How would the State Treasurer live if you adopted this amendment? [Laughter.] Does it not cost the State Treasurer a vast amount every year to obtain his election? Does he not buttonhole members all over the State, asking their votes? Do not the people of Pennsylvania believe, with many Senators here, that the vote of any member for State Treasurer is worth from fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars?

So clear was it made that there could be no decent or reasonable excuse for opposition to the amendment, that upon the vote being taken it was carried by 19 ayes to 9 nays.

Our Coal Trade with Chicago.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

In the Councils of the 31st ult., there appeared a letter on the subject of the Chicago coal trade. It was said that owing to discriminating railway tariffs Pittsburgh coal was shipped from Cincinnati to Chicago for a less sum than it could be sent direct from Pittsburgh, although the distance to Chicago by rail from either Pittsburgh or Cincinnati was said to be about the same.

We have no idea that this recently started coal trade is going to amount to much, but [illegible] apparent in this, that the distance between Cincinnati and Chicago is so much less by rail than from Pittsburgh to the latter place, being 174 miles less, that the ordinary rail mileage reduction on the former route more than makes up for the slight cost of the river transportation to Cincinnati, a distance of 466 miles.

It is not, therefore, altogether the railroad discrimination against Pittsburgh that causes this trade, but it is rather the real advantage which Cincinnati has of saving railroad tariffs for 174 miles by using the Ohio river. It is in reality a striking argument against railroads in general for coal transportation when compared with the economical plan of towing in the river. It makes so little difference in cost, that we risk nothing in saying that even Cincinnati, as far removed from Pittsburgh as New Orleans really is, coal could nevertheless be sent there, 2,000 miles by river, thence to be transported 294 miles by rail to Chicago, cheaper than it could be sent by rail to the latter place, 468 miles direct, from Pittsburgh. Those who have the interests of Pittsburgh at heart will of course agree in believing that the railroad discriminations and monopolies in which our city seems so tightly bound are highly injurious to the development of our vast resources. But in this instance, in the matter of coal, if we desire to supply the lake cities direct, we must seek a remedy that will afford an avenue for the trade better than the most liberal railroad company can offer. When we have improved river and canal channels connecting us with the lakes this trade would immediately develop itself, and we might then begin to laugh at the railroad combinations which at present have their hands on our throats.

T. P. R.

UNDER the Constitution of Rhode Island, no person can vote in the State "unless he holds real estate, the assessed value of which shall be one hundred and thirty-four dollars over and above all incumbrances and liens upon it." This excludes thousands of mechanics, clerks, artisans and laborers, from the privilege of voting. The passage of the fifteenth amendment, now a certainty without the vote of Rhode Island, will enfranchise this large class of non-voters.

UNION REPUBLICAN TICKET.

STATE SENATE—THOMAS HOWARD.

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AN ORDINANCE

For Opening Hatfield Street, (late Washington Street,) from Forty-fourth to Jackson Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby directed to survey and open Hatfield street, (late Washington street) from Forty-fourth to Jackson street, and to appraise damages and assess benefits. Edward Davison, J. F. Shutterly and W. C. Brown are hereby appointed in accordance with act of Assembly approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 31st day of May, A. D. 1869.

HILL BURGWIN,
President pro tem. of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: HUGH MCMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing Opening of Mill Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Mill street, Nineteenth ward, from the Greensburg turnpike to Hoeveler street, to the width of forty-five (45) feet, and to appraise damages and assess benefits. T. Davidson, W. N. Burchfield and John Beecher are hereby appointed, in accordance with an act of Assembly approved January 6, 1864.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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Attest: J. D. RAMSEY,
Clerk pro tem. of Select Council.
W. A. TOMLINSON,
President of Common Council.
Attest: HUGH MCMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Apple Alley, from Van Braam Street to Miltenberger Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of Apple alley, from Van Braam street to Miltenberger street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an ordinance concerning Streets, passed August 31, 1857, also act concerning Streets, approved January 6, 1864.

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Attest: H. MCMASTER,
Clerk of Common Council.

AN ORDINANCE

For Opening Devilliers Street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Devilliers street, from Bedford to Center avenue, and to assess damages caused thereby. James Black, (Second ward), Samuel Allinder and Jas. Kelley are hereby appointed.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

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The Jubilee will be opened on TUESDAY, June 15th, with Inaugural Ceremonies, including prayer by Rev. E. E. Hale; an address by His Honor Mayor Shurtleff, welcoming all guests and visitors to Boston and to Massachusetts; and a Congratulatory Address by Hon. A. H. Rice, on the restoration of Peace and Union throughout the land.

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OFFICE OF WEST POINT FOUNDRY,
May 10, 1869.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of EDWARDS, SMITH & CO., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted under the style of SMITH & WARWICK.

R. EDWARDS,
L. H. SMITH,
WM. WARWICK.

HAVING DISPOSED OF MY INTEREST in the West Point Foundry to Messrs. SMITH & WARWICK, I take great pleasure in recommending the new firm to the confidence and patronage of the business community.

tf RICHARD EDWARDS.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the style of the "Coal City Coal Co.," is this day dissolved by mutual consent, ROBT. B. SMITH retiring.

JOSEPH WALTON,
ROBT. B. SMITH,
PETER HABERMAN,
JOSEPH KEELING.

Pittsburgh, May 21, 1869.

THE BUSINESS OF THE ABOVE FIRM will be settled up and continued by the undersigned, at their office, No. 134 Water street, under the style of JOS. WALTON & CO.

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PETER HABERMAN,
JOSEPH KEELING.

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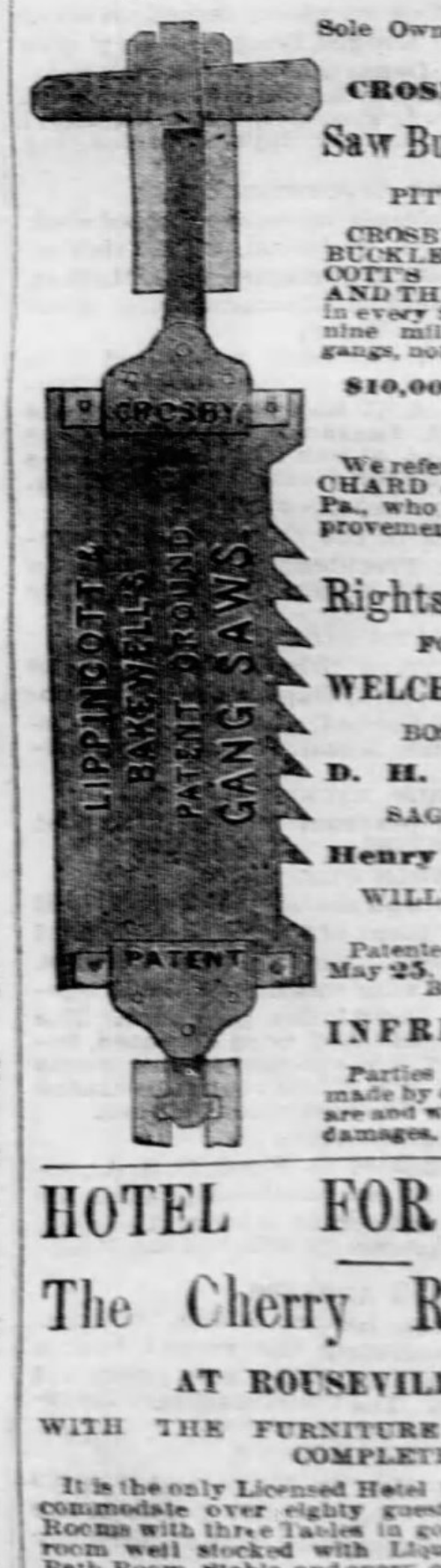

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

THURSDAY EVENING, June 3, 1869.

The supply of money in our local loan market keeps pretty full, and the demand for it from borrowers representing the various departments of trade is quite brisk. There is, too, a disposition to realize on Government bonds by some large holders here, who are watching closely an opportunity to get out on the top of the market. Government bonds show a further decline, and are weak on account of foreign houses in New York having stopped buying.

Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Morn.	Noon.	Close.
1881's, 6's	121⅞	121⅞	121¾
1862, 5-20's	122⅞	122⅞	122⅞
1864 5-20's	117	117	117
1865 5-20's old	118¾	118¾	118½
1865 5-20's new	119¾	119¾	119¾
1867 5-20's	119¾	119¾	119⅞
1868	119¾	119¾	119⅞
10-40's	109	108¾	109¼
Gold	138	138	138½

James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States Securities in New York to-day as follows:

	June 2.	June 3.	Adv.	Dec.
Gold	138⅝	138⅞	¼	...
U. S. 6's, 1881	121⅞	121¾	...	⅛
U. S. 5-20s, 1862	122⅞	122⅞	...	...
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	117⅛	117	...	⅛
U. S. 5-20s, 1865	118¾	118¾	...	...
U. S. 10-40s	109¼	109	...	...
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1865	119⅞	119¾	...	⅛
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1867	119⅞	119⅝	...	...
U. S. 5-20s, Jan., July, 1868	119⅞	119⅞	...	...

—We last week gave an extract from the money market report of the London *Times* of the 8th instant, as to the purpose of the Bank of England in putting up the rate of interest, which it is alleged was to check speculation in United States Government loans, and which it declared would be continued even up to 10 per cent, if necessary to effect the object. The London *Star*, however, takes a very different view of the matter. It remarks:

"The attention of the business community having been drawn to the bank reserve, they find it so much worse than they expected that the result has been a species of incipient panic. An attempt has been made to draw off the attention of the public from the real difficulty, viz., the insufficiency of our banking arrangements to meet the greatly extended business of modern times, by representing the advance in the rate as the consequence of advances on and investments in five-twenty bonds. A threat has even been held over the business community that the Bank will put a stop to the business, even if the rates should be raised to 5 or 10 per cent.

"The business of the City of London is free to all, and especially in the matter of the bonds and loans of foreign Governments, the door has never been shut. We are told that about £150,000,000 of United States bonds are held in Europe, and that all other foreign loans must pale before this enormous total. But it will be observed that this amount is held in 'Europe,' not in England; that it is scattered from Amsterdam to Florence; and is, above all, largely deposited in thrifty Holland and careful Germany. It must also be kept in view that this amount has been gradually accumulating during and since the war; that it is no sudden accession to our securities; and, moreover, that Europe did not pay £150,000,000 for what it now worth that sum by the gradual improvement of the value of these bonds. It is hard to see why it should be the special mission of the Bank of England to punish by raising the rate, the whole community, because a number of capitalists choose to make themselves creditors of the United States. If it is profitable it will be continued; if not, it will be abandoned; and if the former, the bank and the country will have to shape their financial arrangements to meet the trade, and not to attempt to kill it off by raising the rate. Moreover, if the transactions have been extensive, it has resulted in benefit to commerce, for we have not sent money in exchange for the bonds, but goods. The reasons for the advance must be sought for elsewhere."

While it may be true that the running down of the reserve of the Bank of England may be attributed to other causes than large dealings in our 5-20 bonds, it will be found worse than idle to shut our eyes to the effect that will inevitably fall on the prices of those securities in the foreign market if the rate is advanced as threatened, and also in the home market to the extent that that market will have influence on this, and there is almost daily evidence that it has much. As yet, however, the New York market is unaffected. The improvement in '62's in London, and the higher quotations of consols there, have given tone to the market for Governments, which, notwithstanding the falling off in gold, has been steady.

—The following table, made up from dispatches received at J. W. Kennedy's Stock Rooms, Apollo Building, No. 80 Fourth avenue, shows the prices of Railway stocks, Gold, etc. at the various sessions of the New York Boards during the day:

June 3 1869.	10 00 A M.	10 40 A M.	12 10 M.	1 30 P M.	4 00 P M.
N. Y. Central	193	192¾	192⅞	192¼	192⅝
Hudson River	......	160	......	159	......
Harlem	......	152	......	151½	......
Reading	99⅛	99¼	99¼	98⅞	99¼
Mich. Central	......	130	......	130	......
Mich. Southern	115¾	116½	115¾	113¾	115¾
Illinois Central	......	145½	......	......	......
Cleve. & Pitts	104¾	103½	103½	103½	102
Fort Wayne	......	156¼	156¼	155⅝	157⅛
Chic. & N. W	......	92¾	92⅝	92	92⅜
Do preferred	104	103½	104	103½	104½
Cleve. & Toledo	......	114¾	......	111½	......
Rock Island	125⅞	125½	124⅞	123¾	126⅜
Tol. & Wabash	......	77	......	75⅝	......
Do preferred	......	......	......	......	......
Chicago & Alton	......	156	......	......	......
St. Paul	......	77⅞	......	77¼	......
Do preferred	......	89½	......	89½	......
Ohio & Miss	......	34½	......	34⅛	......
Pacific Mail	......	81¾	......	82⅝	......
W. U. Telegraph	......	43	......	42¾	42⅞
Adams Ex	......	59¾	......	59¾	59⅞
Merch't U. Ex	......	15⅞	......	15	14⅞
Amer. M. U. Ex	......	40	......	39½	39⅞
Wells Fargo Ex	......	32⅛	......	31⅞	31⅞
United States Ex	......	68½	......	66⅜	66¾
Gold	138	138⅛	138⅜	138⅞	138⅛

A comparison between yesterday's and to-day's closing quotations shows the following changes:

	Wed.	Thurs.	Adv.	Dec.
N. Y. Central	192¼	192⅝	⅜	...
Hudson River	160	159	...	1
Harlem	151½	151½	...	...
Reading	99⅛	98⅞	⅝	...
Mich. Central	131	130	...	1
Mich. South	116⅞	115¾	...	1⅛
Illinois Central	145½	145½	...	...
Cleve. and Pitts	104¼	102	...	2¼
Fort Wayne	156½	157⅛	⅝	...
Chicago and North	92⅝	92⅜	⅞	...
Do preferred	104⅜	104½	...	¼
Cleve. and Toledo	115⅝	111⅛	...	4½
Rock Island	125⅞	123⅝	...	2¼
Tol. and Wabash	77⅛	75⅝	...	1½
Do preferred	81⅞	...	...	...
Chicago and Alton	157½	156	...	1½
St. Paul	78½	77¼	...	1
Do preferred	91	89½	...	1½
Ohio and Miss	35⅛	34⅛	...	⅞
Pacific Mail	81⅜	82⅝	1¼	...
Adams Express	43	...	...	...
Western U. Tel	59¾	...	...	...
Merch. U. Ex	15¼	...	...	...
American M.U.Ex	40	...	...	...
Wells, Fargo & Co	32⅞	...	...	...
U. S. Express	66⅞	...	...	...

—James W. Kennedy, Broker, No. 80 Fourth avenue, (Apollo Building, dealer in United States Bonds, State and Municipal Securities, Railroad, Bank, Insurance and Miscellaneous Stocks. Being represented in the New York Stock Boards every day while in session, he purchases and sells on commission any stocks on the regular lists on the same terms as the New York brokers. Governments, Gold and Railway Stocks purchased for customers on the usual margin.

LUMBER MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, June 5, 1869.

There is a fair demand from yards with good stocks on hand.

We quote from yards as follows:

UNPLANED LUMBER.

Clear, ⅌ M	$65 00
First Common	55 00
Second Common	28 00
Third Common	22 00
Sheeting	18 00
Hemlock Joists and Scantling	18 00

PLANED LUMBER.

First Common, ⅌ M	$60 00
Clear	70 00
Flooring Boards	45 00
Partition Boards	40 00
Shelving on both sides	35 00
Shelving on one side	33 00
Plow and drop weatherboarding	35 00
Moulded weatherboarding	35 00
Rabbited weatherboarding	35 00
Half-inch patent planed	25 00
Half-inch patent unplaned	20 00
Twelve inch vertical, with strips	33 00
Oak and Yellow Pine flooring boards	46 00

SHINGLES AND LATH.

No. 1, 18-inch, sawed	$ 7 50
No. 2, 18-inch, sawed	6 50
No. 1, 18-inch, shaved	6 00
No. 1, 16-inch, sawed	6 00
Lath	4 50

CRACKER MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, June 5, 1869.

There continues a large demand for crackers, and Marvin's card rates are given as follows:

Boston Crackers	10	French Crackers	25
Wine "	11	Graham Wafers	11½
Soda "	9½	Milk Biscuit	11
Oyster "	9	Ginger Snaps	15
Water "	8½	Pilot Bread	8
Butter "	9½	Extra Pilot	9½
Sugar "	11	Almond Nuts	18
Dyspepsia "	11½	Fruit Crackers	15
Lemon Buiscuit	15	Mixed Cakes	16
Cream Crackers	28	Spiced Jumbles	16
Graham "	11½	Sugar Jumbles	16

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, THURSDAY EVENING, June 3, 1869.

There was no new feature in our general markets to-day worthy of special comment. The supply of all kinds of produce is quite liberal and fully adequate to supply all demands.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale store prices, unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—Market dull. We quote nominally common to good at $3 50@5 50, and very choice in a retail way at from $6 00@8 00 ⅌ bbl., as to quality.

BUTTER—Market dull. The best roll selling slowly at 20@23c ⅌ ℔. Common is plenty and dull at prices ranging from 10 to 18c ⅌ ℔, as to quality.

EGGS—Supply only moderate and a good demand at 19c ⅌ doz for fresh packed.

BACON, LARD, ETC.—There is a fair demand and market firm. We quote shoulders at 14c; rib sides 16¼c; clear sides 17¾@18c; sugar cured hams 19c, and canvassed 19½@20c; plain hams 17¼@17¾c; dried beef 21c, and canvassed 21½c; breakfast bacon 19½c ⅌ ℔. Lard in tierces 19@19½c, and in kegs 20@20½c ⅌ ℔.

LARD OIL—Market steady. Extra No. 1 $1 50 and No. 2 at $1 20 ⅌ gallon.

HOMINY—Market dull at $5 75@6 00 ⅌ bbl.

LIME—We quote Cleveland lime at $2 50 ⅌ bbl, and white lime at $1 75 ⅌ bbl.

MAPLE MOLLASSES—Sales by the gallon jug at $1 25@1 50.

CHEESE—Sales of Western Reserve at 16@17c; Ohio Factory 18c; Ohio Goshen 20c; New York Goshen at 22@23c. and Sweitzer at 19@19½c ⅌ ℔.

DRIED FRUIT—Market dull; sales of peaches at 13@14c for quarters; 15c for mixed, and 17@18c for halves. Dried apples are scarce and in demand at 13¼@15c, as to quality.

MILL FEED—The Pearl Mill prices are: ⅌ 100 wholesale for bran, $1 10, for shipstuff, $1 30; for middlings, $1 90; for screenings, $1 00; for chop $1 50, and for sweepings $2 00.

SEEDS—No demand for clover or timothy seed, and prices nominal. Flax seed is in light supply and may be quoted at $2 50 ⅌ bushel.

POTATOES—Market well supplied and dull. Choice Peachblows from store are hardly quotable at over 50c ⅌ bushel, and buckeyes sell as low as $1 00@1 15 ⅌ barrel. New Norfolk potatoes $4 00 ⅌ bbl.

SALT—Sales to the trade at $1 80@1 85, and $1 90@2 00 in a retail way.

TAR—Sales of North Carolina tar at $3 75@5 00, as to size of package.

PICKLES—Sales at from 75@90c ⅌ hundred, as to quality.

HAY—Receipts by country wagons good, and prices may be quoted at $20@28 ⅌ ton.

STRAWBERRIES.—Sales at 25@30c ⅌ box by the case.

FLOUR—The supply is good and prices declining gradually. Nominally we quote from store good in barrels, at $5 50@7 00; choice spring in barrels $7, and in sacks $6 75; winter wheat in barrels $7 75@8 25, and in sacks $7 50@7 75. The Pearl Mill prices for fresh ground flours are as follows: Pearl Mill three star, green brand, in barrels $9 40, and in sacks $9 10; double extra of selected amber and white winter wheat, in barrels $8 30, and in sacks $8 00, choice selected red winter wheat flour, in barrels $7 70, and in sacks $7 40; choice spring wheat flour in barrels $7 00, and in sacks $6 70. The Pittsburgh City Mill prices are as follows: Choice white winter wheat flour in barrels $8 30, and in sacks $8 00; choice red winter wheat flour in barrels $7 40, and in sacks $7 15; choice spring wheat flour in barrels $6 90, and in sacks $6 65 ⅌ barrel.

CORN MEAL—Kiln dried, cold bolted, ⅌ bbl of 4 bushels, $3 75, and by the bushel 85@90c.

RYE FLOUR—We quote at $6 50@6 75 ⅌ bbl, as to quality.

GRAIN—Market continues dull, there being but little done in grain of any kind, with a drooping tendency in prices. Red winter wheat of the best quality seems dull at $1 40. Oats are quiet at 67@68c on the track. Ear corn sells from first hands at 75@77c. Rye is dull and weak at $1 25, and barley at $1 70 for choice.

WHISKY—Trade moderate and prices unchanged. We quote highwines at 95c; Common rectified at 95c, and proof rectified $1 05; half rye and half corn $1 75; old Monongahela, two years old, $2 25, and old Monongahela three years old, $3 50 ⅌ gallon. Very old whiskies are scarce, and sell at high and nominal prices, varying from $5 00@8 00 ⅌ gallon.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, June 4, 1869.

There was very little done in crude yesterday. Some few sales of refined were made. There is, however, a better feeling in the market, and prices a little stronger. The following sales were reported:

CRUDE OIL.

1,000 bbls S O June, 40@46 gravity, f. o. b. A. V. R. R. cars at Venango City .... $ 4 95
500 bbls S O, June, 40@45 gravity f. o. b. A. V. R. R. cars at Venango city at 5 00
Sales of 1,000 bbls spot at 12¼c
Sales of 1,000 bbls sellers' option, all year ... 12¼c

REFINED OIL.

1,000 bbls last half of August at 31¾c
2,000 bbls, 500 each July, August, September and October, at 31¾c
1,000 bbls last half August, at 31½c
1,500 bbls, 500 each July, August and September, at 32c
1,000 bbls August at 31½c
500 bbls June at 30c
500 bbls July at 31c
2,000 bbls spot at 29¾c
2,000 bbls July to October 31¾c

The following dispatches were received:

[By Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph.]

TARR FARM, PA., June 3.—Market firm with small sales at $4 60.

TIDIOUTE, June 3.—Market more active with sales at $4 60, and in tank at $3 90.

PETROLEUM CENTER, June 3.—$4 50 freely offered; no sales yet; asking $4 60@4 70; market quiet and firm.

TITUSVILLE, PA., June 3.—$4 20@4 55, upper and lower creek. Some demand, principally to cover shorts.

OIL CITY, PA., June 3.—Market firm, with considerable demand, at $4 90@5 00.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Antwerp dispatches quote at 47¼ francs, and Liverpool 20d. In New York—market dull. Crude 15c, and refined 30@30½c.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3, 10 A. M.—Market quiet and prices steady and firm, without sales; spot 29½@30c; June 30c; July 30½@30¾c; August 31c; July to October 31¾c bid; crude in bulk 14½c.

Oil Receipts per River and Rail.

D. Bly	50	Commercial Works	960
Fisher Bros	2,310	J. Irwin	480
Waring & King	160	J. Wilkins	80
Total			4,040

Oil Shipped East by A. V. R. R.

Lyons & Co, 373 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro, Philadelphia.
McKelvy Bro. & Co. 500 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro. Philadelphia.
Liberty Oil Works, 246 bbls ref to W P Logan & Bro, Philadelphia.
Fawcett, Logan & Stockdale, 150 bbls refined to W P Logan & Bro, Philadelphia.
J C Kirkpatrick & Co, 280 bbls ref to Waring, King & co, Philadelphia.
Livingston Bros, 75 bbls refined to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.
Braun & Wagner, 50 bbls tar to Libby & Clark, New York.
D Bly, 50 bbls tar to W G Laird & co, Philadelphia.
Total shipments Refined .... 1,624 bbls
Total shipments Tar .... 100 bbls

Oil Shipped East by Penna. Central R. R.

Hutchinson Oil & Ref Co. 212 bbls refined, to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.
Brooks, Ballentine & Co, 30 bbls ref to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.
S B Floyd, 15 bbls lub to D Cook, Philadelphia.
H W C Tweddle, 10 bbls lub to M. R. George, Phila.
B F Browne, 1 bbl lub to W W Winner, Philada.
Total Shipments Refined .... 242 bbls
Total shipments Lubricating .... 26 bbls

PITTSBURGH DRUG MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, FRIDAY, June 4, 1869.

The following are the current prices:

Acid.			*Oil.*		
Acetic	℔	27 @ 30	Bergamot	℔	6 00 @ 7 50
Citric	℔	1 24 @ 1 29	—Castor	gal	3 10 @ 3 30
Oxalic	℔	36 @ 38	—Cinnam	℔	4 50 @ 4 75
Tartaric	℔	84 @ 89	—Cloves	℔	3 75 @ 4 00
Alcohol	gall	2 20 @ 2 30	*Oil.*		
Aloes.			Cod livr	gal	2 25 @ 2 50
Cape	℔	26 @ 29	Lemon	℔	5 25 @ 5 75
Socot	℔	95 @ 1 05	Lard c	gal	1 00 @ 1 30
Am. Carb	℔	24 @ 26	—Cincin	gal	1 40 @ 1 60
—Aqua	℔	10½ @ 14	Linseed	gal	1 08 @ 1 10
Annotta	℔	80 @ 90	Neats f	gal	1 40 @ 1 50
Ashes Pot	℔	8 @ 9	Olive	gal	3 25 @ 3 35
—Soda	℔	4¾ @ 5	—quarts	doz	7 50 @ 15 00
Bal. Copa	℔	1 09 @ 1 14	—pints	doz	4 40 @ 4 60
BayRum	gal	4 50 @ 6 00	Origan	℔	80 @ 1 90
Bark.			Pepper't	℔	6 00 @ 6 50
Cassia	℔	88 @ 1 00	Rosemary	℔	1 50 @ 3 25
Cinch r'd	℔	1 75 @ 1 95	Sassafras	℔	1 30 @ 1 40
" Pale	℔	90 @ 1 05	Sperm	gal	2 75 @ 2 90
" Com	℔	45 @ 60	Tanners	gal	1 00 @ 1 15
Black Lead.			Whale	gal	1 40 @ 1 50
American	℔	5 @ 6	Winteg'n	℔	5 75 @ 6 25
East Ind	℔	13 @ 16	Opium Ty	℔	18 75 @ 19 00
German	℔	7 @ 9	Phosphos	℔	1 25 @ 1 40
Blue Mass	℔	60 @ 62	Pl Paris	bbl	5 00 @ 5 50
Blue Vitr	℔	16 @ 18	*Potass.*		
Borax ref	℔	41 @ 43	Bi chrom	℔	21 @ 23
Brims roll	℔	5½ @ 6	Chlorate	℔	55 @ 82
—Flor Sul	℔	7½ @ 8½	Iodide	℔	5 50 @ 5 70
CalomelA	℔	1 13 @ 1 18	Prus Yel	℔	46 @ 48
—English	℔	1 60 @ 1 65	" Red	℔	1 05 @ 1 10
Camp ref	℔	1 15 @ 1 20	Putty	℔	5¼ @ 6¾
Canthar's	℔	2 00 @ 2 10	Quin sulp	oz	2 50 @ 2 60
Cham. Ger	℔	35 @ 40	Rosin	bbl	6 00 @ 6 25
—Roman	℔	55 @ 65	*Root.*		
Chlorof'm	℔	1 52 @ 1 62	Gentian	℔	16 @ 17½
Cloves	℔	48 @ 50	Gingr E I	℔	27 @ 29
Cochineal	℔	1 37 @ 1 42	" Jamca	℔	33 @ 35
Con lye	case	8 00 @ 3 25	Ipecac	℔	3 62 @ 3 75
Copp'ras	℔	2½ @ 3	Jalap	℔	2 30 @ 2 40
CreamTar	℔	40 @ 55	Liquorice	℔	13 @ 20
Cubebs	℔	44 @ 48	Rhub E I	℔	2 75 @ 3 00
Cudbear	℔	25 @ 45	Sars Hon	℔	60 @ 62
Emery En	℔	13 @ 15	Senega	℔	65 @ 70
Et Nit sps	℔	45 @ 50	Valeri En	℔	60 @ 63
—Sulph	℔	90 @ 93	" Germ	℔	35 @ 37
Ext Logw	℔	17½ @ 18½	Sal Ammo	℔	16 @ 18
—Liq Cala	℔	45 @ 55	—Epson	℔	5 @ 5¾
—Italian	℔	45 @ 50	—Soda	℔	3¼ @ 4
—Sicily	℔	25 @ 28	*Seed.*		
Fustic chi	℔	3¾ @ 4½	Canary	℔	11 @ 12
Galls Alep	℔	47 @ 52	Hemp	℔	7 @ 8
Gum.			Cardamn	℔	5 00 @ 5 25
Arabic sts	℔	53 @ 58	Mustard	℔	17 @ 19
" White	℔	85 @ 1 00	Senna Al	℔	50 @ 54
Myrrh T'k	℔	65 @ 70	" E In	℔	25 @ 30
Shellac	℔	50 @ 64	*Soda.*		
Trag s'rts	℔	50 @ 55	Bi Carb	℔	7 @ 8
" Flake	℔	1 40 @ 1 50	Caustic	℔	8 @ 9
Hoffm'sA	℔	48 @ 51	Soap Cast	℔	19 @ 22
Indigo Ma	℔	1 50 @ 1 60	—Cast wh	℔	28 @ 31
—Span fl't	℔	1 65 @ 1 70	Starch	℔	8 @ 8½
Iodine res	℔	7 31 @ 7 56	Sugar L'd	℔	43 @ 46
Junip Ber	℔	6 @ 7	Sumac Sic	℔	11 @ 12
Log Chipd	℔	3 @ 4	Terra Jap	℔	8¾ @ 10½
Mace	℔	1 55 @ 1 60	Turp sps	gal	60 @ 63
Madder	℔	23 @ 24	*Varnish.*		
Magne cal	℔	75 @ 1 50	Copal	gal	2 50 @ 4 00
—Carb	℔	50 @ 55	Japan	gal	1 30 @ 1 83
Manna SF	℔	1 60 @ 1 65	Damar	gal	3 40 @ 3 65
Morph sul	℔	11 75 @ 12 00	Ven Red	℔	4 @ 4½
Nutm No 1	℔	1 50 @ 1 55			

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MONEY.

Money active at 7 ⅌ cent. on call. Commercial paper dull at 7@9 ⅌ cent.

STERLING.

Dull at 109@109¼.

GOLD

Quiet and lower; opened at 138¼, advanced to 138½, and closed at 137⅞. Carrying rates 6@8 ⅌ cent., showing an abundance of cash gold. The Government sold a million at 138 26-100@138 325-1,000. The proposals amounted to six and three-fourth millions. Export $285,715. Clearances $76,000,000.

GOVERNMENTS

Steady but quiet. Coupons, '81, 121¾@122; do 62, 122⅛@122¼; do '64, 117@117⅛; do '65, 118⅝@118¾; do new, 119¾@119⅞; do '67, 119⅞@119⅞; do '68, 119⅞@119⅞; 10-40s, 108¾@108⅞; Pacifics, 107⅛@107¼.

STATE BONDS

Lower. Missouris 89¼; old Tennessees 67; new do 64¼@64½; old Virginias 57⅛@58¼; new do 61¼@62; old North Carolinas 60¼; new do 66@66½; new Louisiana 66@67.

THE STOCK MARKET

Was feverish all day, prices falling 2@4 ⅌ cent., with a rally in the afternoon from the lowest prices of 1 ⅌ cent. Large transactions were made in Michigan Southern, Lake Shore, Pittsburgh, Rock Island, Ohio and Mississippi, St. Paul and Northwestern. The Michigan Southern and Lake Shore election does not seem to have given entire satisfaction to the Vanderbilt party, and the prevailing impression is that consolidation with the anticipated scrip dividends will be at least deferred. New Jersey Central rose from 117 to 127 on reported negotiations for a lease to the Pennsylvania Central and a large scrip dividend. The Fort Wayne directors are in session at Philadelphia to ratify its lease, and decide upon the scrip dividend, but their action is not yet announced. An injunction has been granted by Judge Balcom, restraining certain parties from commencing suit against the Erie Company, to collect the annual interest due on preferred stocks. The market closed feverish and weak.

5:30 PRICES.

Cumberland, 33; Wells's Express, 31¼@31½; American 39½@39¾; Adams, 59¾@60; United States, 66¾@67; Merchant's Union, 15¼; Quicksilver, 15¼@16½; Canton, 66½@67¼; Pacific Mail, 82¼@82⅜; Western Union Telegraph, 42⅞@43; Hartford and Erie, 25⅞; Mariposa, 23@24; preferred, 50¼@50⅜; New York Central, 192¼@192⅜; Erie, 29@29¼; preferred, 51⅞@52¼; Hudson, 158¾@159; Harlem, 151@152; Reading, 99@99⅛; Chicago and Alton, 156@157; preferred, 157@159; Terre Haute, 38@40; Wabash, 75⅝@76¼; do preferred, 80@84; St. Paul, 77⅞@78; do preferred, 89¾@90; Fort Wayne, 156⅞@157; Ohio and Mississippi, 34⅛@34¼; Michigan Central, 130; Michigan Southern, 113⅝@113¾; Illinois Central, 145@147; Pittsburgh, 101⅞@102; Lake Shore, 112⅛@112¼; Rock Island, 121⅛@121¼; Northwestern, 92⅛@92¼; do preferred, 103⅞@104; Hannibal and St. Joseph 135; do preferred 133; Cleveland, Columbus and Indianapolis, 74⅛.

MINING SHARES

Dull.

Receipts at the Sub-Treasury, $1,372,536; payments, $553,770; balance, $79,265,985.

Disbursements of coin interest, $161,719.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, June 3, 1869.

EASTERN EXCHANGE—Dull and unchanged.

FLOUR—In fair demand and firm at $4 75@5 75 for spring extras.

WHEAT—Moderately active; sales of No. 1 at $1 15@1 16; No. 2 opened at $1 14, receded to $1 13@1 13¼, and closed at $1 13¼@1 13½; this afternoon market dull at $1 13¾ seller June.

CORN—Moderately active and firmer; sales of No. 1 at 58@59c; No. 2 at 61¼@62¼c; rejected at 55¼@56c; no grade 39@40c; closed quiet at 63c for No. 1 and 61½c for No. 2, nominally unchanged this afternoon.

OATS—Steady; sales of No. 2 at 58¾@59¼c, closing at 59½@59¾c.

RYE—Steady at $1 03@1 04 for No 1.

BARLEY—Dull and nominal at $1 50@1 55.

HIGHWINES—Dull; sellers at 95c.

GROCERIES—New Orleans molasses 35c@$1 00. Sugar 13¼@14¾c for common to prime.

PROVISIONS—Nominal; holders firm. Mess pork $31 50. Lard 18¾c. Dry salted shoulders 12¾c; rough sides 15c; short rib middles 15¾@16c; short clear do 16⅛@16⅝c; sweet pickled hams 15¼@15¾c.

HOGS—Dull and 10@15c lower at $8 60@8 90 for good to choice; $9 30 for extra prime.

CATTLE—Active at $5 50@6 00 for cows; $5 50@6 90 for light to fair; $7 40 for good to choice steers.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Cotton firm; sales 3,000 bales at 30c for middling uplands. Flour—Receipts 1,810 bbls; flour heavy and 5c lower; demand chiefly for fresh ground extra State; sales 9 800 barrels at $5 15@5 40 for superfine State and western; $5 90@6 25 for extra State; $5 65@6 45 for extra western; $6 50@7 60 for white wheat extra; $6@7 15 for round hoop Ohio; $7@8 for extra St. Louis; $9@12 for good choice do, closing dull; very heavy for all kinds except fresh ground extra State; included in sales are 4,600 bbls extra State for export at $6 10@6 20. California flour dull and heavy; 300 bbls at $6 50@9 35. Rye flour dull and drooping; sales 200 bbls at $4 65@6 50. Corn meal quiet. Whisky steady; sales 125 bbls western at $1 00@1 02 free. Receipts of wheat 222,215 bush; opened heavy and closed about 1c lower, with only a very moderate export demand and limited milling inquiry, and transactions restricted by the firmness in freights; sales 2,500 bush at $1 41@1 43 for No. 2 spring delivered, chiefly at $1 41; $1 46@1 47 for No. 1 do; $1 50 for winter red western; $1 50@1 70 for white California, and $1 77@1 80 for white Michigan. Rye quiet with some export inquiry for Canadian in bond. Barley and barley malt nominal. Receipts of corn 182,758; corn firmer with a fair demand for home use; sales 64,000 bush at 85@88 for new mixed western red, car, the latter price for very choice; 86½c for do, via railroad; 79@85c for kiln dried. Receipts oats 51,117 bush; oats shade easier; sales 47,000 bush at 77½c for western afloat; 77½c do in store. Rice dull at 7½@9c for Carolina. Coffee steady and quiet; sales 500 sacks Rio on private terms. Sugar quiet and drooping; sales 600 bbls Cuba at 11½@12¼c. Molasses quiet and steady. Petroleum firm at 15½@15½c for crude; 30@30½c for refined. Hops quiet at 6@12c for American. Linseed oil quiet. Spirits turpentine quiet at 45½c. Pork firm and quiet; sales 670 bbls at $31 86@31 87 for new mess, chiefly at $31 62 cash, and $31 37 for old do; $25 00@26 00 for prime; $28 00@30 00 for prime mess. Beef steady; sales 230 bbls at $8 00@16 00 for new plain mess; $15 00@18 00 for new extra mess. Tierce beef dull; sales 65 tierces at $22 00@28 00 for prime mess; $26 00@32 00 for Indian mess. Beef hams steady; sales 170 bbls at $26 00@32 00. Cut meats steady; sales 150 packages at 13c for shoulders; 15@15½c for hams. Middles quiet and firm; sales 350 boxes long clear, long cut hams, Stratford and Staffordshire, at 16¼@16⅞c. Lard quiet and steady; sales 320 tcs at 18½@19½c, chiefly at 19¼c for steam and 19¼@19⅜c for kettle rendered. Butter dull and heavy at 28@32c for Ohio, and 30@38c for State. Cheese quiet at 11@12c. Freights to Liverpool quiet and firm at 7½d for wheat ⅌ steamer.

LATEST—5 P. M.—Flour closed steady with good export demand for fresh ground extra State and very dull and heavy for all other kinds. Wheat quiet at $1 41@1 42½ for No 2 spring. Rye dull and heavy. Oats dull at 77½@77¾c for western afloat. Corn steady at 80@81c for canal and 80@87c for railroad. Pork quiet and unchanged at $31 62 for new mess, regular. Beef quiet and unchanged. Cut meats quiet and steady. Bacon firm with a moderate inquiry. Lard quiet at 18⅞@19⅝c for fair to prime steam. Eggs quiet without decided change.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Dry Goods—The weather is now very fine, but business nevertheless is inactive. As the market, however, has been cleared of several lines of cotton goods, the tendency of prices is upward. The demand for Lincoln bleached muslins is so strong that agents have put up the price to 17c, but one house, Wm. J. Peak & Co., is still selling the goods at 14½c. There is no doubt, however, but they will be advanced to-morrow, if not to-day, to 16c. The Cabot are still selling at 15c; Kearsarge L 15c; Maxwell 20c; Chapman X 12½c; Reynolds 12½c; Greene G 12c; do H 10½c; Red Bank 4-4 bring 11½c; do 7-8 10½c; Hopes have been advance to 14½c; Blackstone A 14½c; Branch D and Blackstone D 12½c; the Auburn have risen to 16c. In other classes of goods there is no particular change to observe. The tendency is upward, but much will depend upon the future of trade.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, June 3.—Flour dull; family $5 00@5 75. Wheat dull at $1 15@1 20 for Nos. 1 and 2. Corn steady at 63@64c. Oats in light supply, barely equal to the demand, and market steady at 68@71c. Rye dull at $1 18 for No 1; demand quite light; a sample of new white from Alabama was exhibited on 'Change; quality rather poor; many defective grains in this sample. Cotton firm; middlings 27@28c. Tobacco—sales 123 hhds at $5 00@16 50. Whisky quiet but firm at 95c. Mess pork firm and in demand at $31, but held at $31 25@31 50. Bulk meats quiet, but held firmly at 12@12½c for shoulders and sides; a lot of clear bulk sides sold at 16½c, buyer this month. Bacon held at 13½, 16½ and 17c, but nothing done excepting a speculative purchase of 2,000 hhds clear sides at 17¼c, seller this month. Lard could have been bought at 18½c. Butter in fair shipping demand and 23@25c for fresh. Eggs steady at 13c. Lard oil $1 40@1 45. Petroleum 28@30c. Sugar steady; New Orleans 12½@15½c. Molasses 75@80c. Coffee 20@26½c. Gold 138. Exchange ⅛ discount buying.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—Tobacco active and low grades higher at 6½@7½c for sound lugs, and 7¾@8½c for common leaf. Cotton and hemp—nothing doing. Flour very dull and weak, and low grades declined 10@25c; spring super sold at $4 25@4 75; spring X and XX $5@5 25; XXX $6 75@7 75. Wheat drooping; especially for fall; No. 3 spring sold at $1 05; No. 2 at $1 08@1 10; club at $1 10@1 12; prime to choice red fall at $1 15@1 35; fancy red and white at $1 45@1 50. Corn—all qualities firm; yellow, in second-hand sacks, 65c; white 66@69c; mixed, in new sacks, 69c; prime yellow 64@66c; choice and fancy do 67@68c; choice and fancy white 70@78c. Oats higher at 63@65½c. Rye drooping at 90@93c for prime to choice. Whisky steady at 94c. Groceries quiet and unchanged. Provisions stiff and advancing. Pork $31 75@32; held firm at latter price; 13½@13¾c for bacon shoulders; 17¼c for clear rib sides; 17½@17¾c for clear sides. Lard very firm and scarce; choice tierce in a small way at 19c; kegs 20¼c. Cattle in good demand at 4@7c. Hogs quiet at 7@9c.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, June 3.—Provisions are firm. Mess pork $31 50. Bacon—shoulders 13½c; clear rib 17c; clear sides 17½c; hams 19½c. Lard—prime leaf 19c. Flour—A No 1 declined to $7 00; other grades unchanged. Hay dull; choice timothy on wharf, $21 50. Groceries firm; New Orleans sugar, prime, 14½c. New Orleans molasses, prime, $1 25. Rio coffee, prime, 25½c. Sorghum 55c. Bagging steady; 2-pound Kentucky, 21½c. Potatoes—new $5 50@6 00; old $1 60@1 70. Whisky—highwines 97c. Cattle active; choice 6c; fair 6¼c; good 4½c; common 3¼c. Hogs in good supply; well fatted 8¼c; ordinary 7¼c. Sheep—demand fair; choice 3c. Cement steady at $2 00. Butter—southern 17½c; northern 18c.

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, June 3.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat dull, inactive and nominally unchanged; No. 1 red winter held at $1 34@1 35; No. 2 do at $1 19@1 20. Corn very quiet but firm at 71c for No. 1 mixed; 66@68c for No. 2. Oats dull and unchanged; No. 1 held at 67c. Rye dull and nominal; held at $1 10@1 15, but slow of sale. Barley—nothing doing. Petroleum—there is a firmer feeling, but the market is not active; refined 25½@26c on spot and for July in large lots; small lots 26@28c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Flour dull and weak; Northwestern extra family $6@6 75. Wheat very dull; red $1 40, choice Michigan amber $1 65. Rye declined to $1 33. Corn declined 1c; yellow 92@93c; mixed western 84@86c. Oats dull; western 75@77c. Petroleum moves slowly at 18c for crude in bbls; 29¾@29⅞c for refined in bond. Provisions unchanged. Whisky steady at $1 03@1 09.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, June 3.—Flour dull and favors buyers. Grain unchanged; receipts light. Mess pork firm at $32 00. Bacon active; rib sides 17@17½c; clear sides 17¾@80c; shoulders 14½c; hams 19@20c. Lard firm at 19½c. Whisky dull at $1 02@1 03.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, June 3.—Flour dull. Wheat—amber 1½c lower, at $1 34 for spot and seller the month; white Michigan $1 36. Corn—No 1 a shade better; sales at 69c spot, seller June; No 2 67c; rejected 60c; yellow lower at 70c. Oats ½c better, at 66@66½ for Michigan. Rye held at $1 10.

Detroit Market.

DETROIT, June 3.—Wheat—receipts 9 000 bushels; market dull and unsettled; extra white winter $1 68; No. 1 do $1 48@1 49. Corn 72c. Oats 64@65c.

Milwaukee Market.

MIWAUKEE, June 3—Flour dull and nominally unchanged. Wheat weak, at $1 16 for No. 1 and $1 13½ for No. 2. Oats dull at 57½c for No. 1. Corn dull at 57@59c for new. Rye steady at $1 for No. 1. Barley dull at $1 10 for good Delaware. Grain freights firmer; 6c to Buffalo; 11c to Oswego.

Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, June 3.—Cotton quiet and firm; low middlings 27½@28c; receipts 37 bales; exports 510 bales. Flour unchanged. Corn 82@85c. Oats 78@80c. Hay $26@27. Pork $32. Lard 19@20c. Bacon firm; shoulders 13½@13¾c; sides 17½@17¾c. Bulk meats nominal.

For Additional Telegraph Markets See First Page.

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RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Oil City.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

OIL CITY, PA., June 3, 1869.

River falling with thirty-two inches water in the channel. Weather clear and pleasant; thermometer 80° at 8 P. M. F.

Brownsville.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

BROWNSVILLE, PA., June 3, 1869.

River stationary, with about eight feet water. Weather cloudy; thermometer 73° at 7 P. M. C.

Greensboro.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

GREENSBORO, June 3, 1869.

River falling slowly with about six feet six inches water. Weather clear; thermometer 78° at 7 P. M. C.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 3.—River declining, with eight feet one inch in the canal. Weather clear and warm.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.

Elizabeth .... Houghton .... Elizabeth.
Franklin .... G. W. Clarke .... Geneva.
Chieftain .... Phillips .... Geneva.
New State .... Muhleman .... Wheeling.
Ironsides .... Gray .... St. Louis.

Departed.

Elector .... Donaldson .... Geneva.
Elizabeth .... Houghton .... Elizabeth.
Chieftain .... Phillips .... Geneva.
Allena May .... Flanegan .... Geneva.
Kate Putnam .... Reed .... St. Louis.

Monongahela, seven feet two inches and falling.

Allegheny, eight feet four inches and falling.

THE marks on the Monongahela pier indicated seven feet two inches and falling slowly. The weather continues warm. On the landing trade was not very active; freights being scarce to most points. The arrivals include the Kenton from Portsmouth. She will return this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

THANKS.—We are indebted to Mr. Hays Moore, of the Kenton, for a manifest.

THE tow boat Ajax, Capt. Whysall, passed Memphis on Tuesday en route for Pittsburgh.

ABOUT 35,000 hhds of tobacco will be shipped Eastward through Evansville during the present season.

SIMULTANEOUSLY the Upper Missouri and Mississippi are again reported rising. The rains have been tremendous.

THE Maggie Hays, Capt. Martin, was announced to leave St. Louis for this city on Wednesday, with a fair trip.

THE regular packet New State, Capt. Muhleman, takes her departure this day at 11 A. M. for Wheeling and intermediate ports. A fine boat, in charge of careful and attentive officers.

THE new towboat Ironsides, Capt. Beltzhoover, will be found at the landing. Her freight consists of 1,600 tons iron ore, consigned to Capt. R. C. Gray.

NORTHERN LINE OF SIDEWHEEL STEAMERS.—Through receipts given to all points on the Upper Mississippi to St. Paul at the lowest rates, by R. C. Gray, No. 94 Water street.

THE hull of the steamer Gerard B. Allen will be used in the construction of the new bridge at St. Louis, work on which was commenced on the western bank of the Mississippi Saturday morning.

THE punctual packet Kenton, Capt. W. H. Kerr, takes her departure this day at 4 P. M. for Wheeling, Marietta and Portsmouth. To persons going that way a fine opportunity is presented. The Kenton is a large favorite with passengers and shippers, and deservedly so.

THE fine steamer Belle Vernon, Captain J. J. Darragh, is announced for Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis. This boat is one of the best of her class afloat; has fine speed, superior accommodations and attentive officers. The first clerk is Mr. T. J. Darragh, an officer who stands at the head of the profession.

STEAMBOAT LAUNCHED.—The Monongahela *Republican* says: A steamboat hull was launched at Elizabeth on Saturday, May 29th inst. The hull was built by Mr. Wm. Latta, of our city, at his boatyard in Elizabeth, for Capt. Dannals, of New Orleans, and when finished she will run in the Red river trade. Mr. Latta is an enterprising man, and is turning out some first-class hulls from his yard at Elizabeth.

HO! FOR THE UPPER MISSISSIPPI.—The fine passenger steamer Armadillo, Capt. A. McCarty, takes her departure this day, positively, for Cairo, St. Louis, Galena, Dubuque and St. Paul. This boat is noted for speed, superior accommodations and attentive officers, Capt. McCarty being an officer of long experience and pleasing address. He will be ably assisted by Capt. B. M. Laughlin, who has charge of the office. Don't forget the Armadillo that departs at 12 M.

STEAMBOAT DISASTERS FOR MAY.—The following are the names of the steamers lost on the Western waters during the month of May: John D. Perry, burned on the Arkansas river; steamer Grey Eagle, capsized at St. Louis; boats destroyed by fire at Cincinnati—Darling, Melnotte, Clifton, Mary Erwin, Cheyenne; sunk in Arkansas—Leni Leoti; Benton, sunk in Missouri; steamer Cora sunk in Arkansas, since raised. Total loss, 10 boats.

UPPER MISSOURI.—We are indebted for several items to the *Times*, a newspaper published in Sioux City. The issue of the 25th says: "The river commenced rising at this point early on last Sunday morning, and up to yesterday morning had risen three feet and two inches. It is now on a stand-still. There is now five feet of water in the channel, and navigation is good for boats of any draught. The Emilie La Barge is overdue. The Flirt, from St. Louis for Fort Benton, arrived at 2 P. M. yesterday, and leaves this morning for her destination. The Colorado, from St. Louis, arrived at 6 P. M. yesterday. She loaded with government corn last evening, and is advertised to leave this morning for Fort Buford."

ALL ABOUT THE MOUNTAIN BOATS.—The Deer Lodge was the first boat to leave for Fort Benton, and she was forty-one days making the trip from Sioux City, while the Importer made it from St. Louis in forty-seven days. The Deer Lodge brought not quite twenty-five tons of freight to Benton, because she was running for the glory of Sioux City, her expenses having been paid for the round trip by some enterprising Chicagoites, who thought that by having the prestige of the first arrival at Benton they would influence the shipments and purchase of goods via their loved Chicago. The Importer brought into port at Fort Benton nearly, if not over 200 tons of freight, besides having a number of passengers, and had it not been that Deer Lodge had fifteen days and 900 miles start of her, would have been, by long odds, the first arrival at the mountain goal. Chicago is at her wits' end to gain the Montana trade, and she will leave no means unemployed to accomplish her desires, even if she has to spend immense sums of money in employing steamers to make quick trips to Benton, with nothing for cargo. "Try, try again."

TOWBOAT BUILDING.—The coalboatmen in this vicinity appear to be pretty wide awake. A few days since we stated that a number of towboats had been sold out of the trade. We now furnish the dimensions of two as fine boats as any yet constructed. They will be ready for the fall trade. Capt. W. H. Brown and Joseph Nixon are building one at Pringle's yard, Brownsville, length 168 feet, beam 30 feet, hold 5 feet, engines 22-inch, cylinders 7½ feet stroke; 5 boilers, 40 inches in diameter, 24 feet long. She will be a boat of fine model and great speed, and will be commanded by Captain Joseph Nixon, a first class officer. The other boat is owned by Messrs. Briggs and Mulvehill, building at Pringle's yard; length 168 feet; beam 30 feet; hold 5 feet; engines—cylinders 21 inches; 8 feet stroke, with 4 boilers 40 inches in diameter, 28 feet long. This boat will be commanded by Captain Thomas Mulvehill, an officer who stands at the head of the profession. These boats will be fitted out with all modern improvements, and when finished will be among the best, fastest and most substantial boats that have yet been built. We shall refer to them again.

ST. LOUIS.—The *Republican* has the following on the situation: Business dull, and neither receipts nor exports were heavy. To New Orleans there is promise of a brisk week in shipments; we suppose steamboats will be enabled to pay expenses, at least.

To St. Paul freights are plentiful, especially in reshipping from the Ohio river.

The Keokuk packets are doing an excellent business, and their wharf is almost too small for the cargoes which their steamers bring in.

The Missouri river trade continues at an average activity, and the "O" and Star line steamers have good trips up and fair receipts down stream.

To Pittsburgh and other river towns freights are not superabundant, yet the steamers manage to run regularly, and we suppose pay their expenses.

The river at this point is rising rapidly.

The Missouri is reported rising from Fort Benton down, and we suppose the late rains have extended far enough to influence the Upper Mississippi and Illinois rivers, and cause them to add their power to the flood from the Missouri. We hope that the coming rise will not be of a freshet nature, as it would undoubtedly cause much distress in the lower country, and entirely ruin the chance of some of the Southern planters for this year.

IMPORTS BY RAIL.

Pennsylvania Central R. R—Duquesne Depot.

[NOTE.—Freight received at this station via Allentown for our merchants is omitted, as it is delivered immediately upon its arrival, as per contract with teamsters.]

Aiken & co, 1 car slate; W B Hays, 2 do lime; W J Hammond, 2 do scrap iron; Lyon, Shorb & co, 1 do 1 cinders; Best & R, 1 do stone; Chess, Smythe & co, 1 do brick; A Love & co, 1 do peas; Schwartz & H, 21 bxs soap, 25 bbls whiting; J S Dilworth & co, 25 bxs com soap, 35 bbls sugar; D Gregg & co, 12 bxs, 2 bales dry goods; Arbuckles & co, 15 chests tea, 30 pkgs groceries; B L Fahnestock & co, 7 pkgs drugs, &c; Little & B, 68 sks coffee, 20 hhds sugar; H Riddle, 36 bbls do, 3 tcs rice; J Schoonmaker & Son, 63 bbls zinc; Armstrong, Bro & co, 5 do w bungs, 27 bales c wood; Fleming, A & co, 99 bxs hardware; Harris & E, 27 do wine, 2 bbls c wood; Sneathen & co, 100 bales oakum; Beymer, B & co, 20 bbls whiting; S Ewart & co, 1 und prunes, 20 pkgs fish; Fulton, B & co, 7 coils rope; Atwell & Lee, 2 bbls currants; Arnold & H, 2 bxs and 1 cask glue; Atterbury & E, 4 pkgs hardware; E Heazleton, 9 tcs rice; Park, McC & co, 210 bxs tin; Reymer & Bro, 2 pkgs mdse; Rinehart & S, 30 sks coffee; J A Renshaw, 1 bx fruit, 1 bbl crackers; Thompson, F & co, 21 bbls molasses; Buffum & co, 2 do sugar; Mrs J D Carlisle, 7 pcs furniture; G Calhoun & Son, 5 casks b powder; J Dunlap, 23 bxs hardware; Day & co, 6 bbls w potatoes; H Dalmyer, 5 pkgs tobacco; Ecker & co, 1 bx mdse; J S Finch & co, 5 hf bbls liquor; T B Garrett, 3 bxs g ware; Mrs J B Holmes, 2 pkgs c wheels; Haworth & D, 19 hhds sugar; W P Hunker & co, 3 bbls confections; Hagan & co, 4 do peas; Kim & Schwartz, 1 bx b cages; Knox & Orr, 14 bbls sugar; McElroy, Dickson & co, 3 box dry goods; McGarvey & Bro, 100 bales oakum; Means & Coffin, 2 bales twine, 1 do rope; McNish & Butler, 5 bxs hardware, 2 blowers; W Pickersgill & co, 6 boxes boots and shoes; Wallace, C & co, 6 bxs hardware; W W Wallace, 1 marble stone; T B Young & co, 1 box marble, 6 bdls furniture; Ripley & co, 4 bxs hardware; J P Schmidt & co, 1 bbl glass; R E Sellers & co, 20 bbls sperm; J M Rider, 8 pkgs hardware; Reed & J, 1 box drugs; Bruggeman & O'B, 10 bbls potatoes.

For Allegheny City.

F & C Maginn, 13 bxs confectionery; Beggs & L, 6 blocks marble; John Bush, 1 bx s tobacco; A S Bell, 1 bbl g ware; S M Becker, 2 bxs, 1 bale; G F Comby, 2 bbls prunes; Fielding & Bro, 1 bx drugs; Graham & S, 1 bale leather; A Hartung & co, 1 bx shoes; J Lautner, 3 bxs h ware; Wm Martin & co, 2 do do; F Meyer, 5 do do; J Myers, 1 bx mdse; H H Meyer, 9 bxs, 2 bales mdse; W H McClinton, 1 paper pkg; H P Schwartz & co, 8 bxs drugs; F Simpson, 1 bx, 1 cask h ware; J Hart, 1 bbl, 1 hf do liquor; J G Woermly, 1 bx shoes; F H Eggers, 7 bxs e paint; W Wessel, 1 hf bbl liquor; J Geib, 1 bbl do; Lindsay & McC, 1 keg rivets.

For Birmingham.

A Koch, 3 bbls, 3 kegs drugs; M Pate, 4 pkgs t c ware.

For South Pittsburgh.

M & R Walsh, 3 hhds sugar.

For West Pittsburgh.

R S Hemiup, 1 roll carpet.

Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.

T C Jenkins & Bro, 20 sks flour; W Little, 20 boxes glass; Haworth & D, 15 bbls flour; M B Adams & Bro, 180 new oil bbls; H Rea, Jr, 1 keg a butter; Hagan & C, 10 doz brooms; R E Sellers & co, 17 bxs boxes; J Adler & co, 50 bbls highwines; A C Weltengell, 3 do vinegar; T Caroon, 2 do do; Schomaker & L, 100 bbls flour; R Errett, 1 bx mdse; Whitmore, W D & co, 2 do h ware; J Henderson & Bro, 2 cases mdse; Whitmore Bro, 1 do do; J Cochran, 3 do do; H Riddle, 40 bxs soap; Johnson, King & co, 3 bbls glass; Penna Salt co, 6 bxs saponifier; G N Hoffstott, 50 bdls g c hides; Bakewell, P & co, 2 bxs g ware; G A Kelly, 2 bbls alcohol; F Sellers & co, 20 do hams, 25 tcs grease; Watt, Lang & co, 1 tc hams; J Porterfield, 10 do lard; Voigt, Mahood & co, 10 bbls d apples; J H Strothers, 3 sks wool; S Hare & Son, 1 car mowers; Culp & Shepard, 100 bbls flour; Mullins & M, 1 lot scrap iron; Robb & Herron, 1 car e corn; W C Brown, 1 do stone.

Allegheny Station.

Kennedy & Bro, 1 car wheat; Lappe & Weise, 13 hides; Superior Iron co, 9 cars limestone; Gray & Armstrong, 5 doz brooms; H Lenz, 2 bbls eggs; F W Gerdis, 50 bbls zinc; Balya & R, 2 cars staves; R & A Carson, 100 bbls flour; Heppley & B, 199 sks do; W McKee, 1 car wheat.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.

J L L Knox, 2 cars stone; P Wolf, 1 do do; Pittsburgh and Boston Manf'g co, 70 bbls copper; Moorhead & co, 1 car turnings; W J Meek, 2 cars rye; R P Burgan 1 do lumber; Pickersgill, L & co, 7 bxs wood; Voigt, Mahood & co, 1 car potatoes, 3 bbls eggs; Van Gorder & Shepard, 2 cars potatoes; McHenry & H, 25 sks oats; Hamilton, A, A & co, 6 bbls excelsior; J Herdman & Son, 42 bdls spokes; Smith & Forrester, 3 bxs sewing machines; C G Hammond & Son, lot furniture; Pretzfield & Bro, 2 hf bbls, 5 kegs tobacco; Scott & Gisal, 1 car wheat; Fred Louth, 2 hf bbls, 2 kegs wine; Fraunheim, Miller & co, 24 sks malt; Watt, Lang & co, 30 bxs cheese; J A Graff, 40 sks rags; P Duff & Son, 8 tubs, 1 crock butter, 2 do a do, 9 pkgs produce; H Shnelback, 35 crocks a butter; E Warner, 3 bbds, 1 tc tobacco; Head & M, 1 bbl eggs, 1 bx butter, 1 keg do, 1 oil bbl; H J Lynch, 24 sks oats; Shriver & co, 51 bxs soap; B D Moore, 350 e o bbls; C A Warmcastle, 150 do do; H Rea, Jr, 2 firkins butter, 2 bbls, 1 bx eggs; J J Pettit, 6 bags d apples.

Allegheny Station.

Mercer & Robinson, 16 tcs hams; G W Pusey, 10 do do.

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis R. R.

McHenry & Hood, 20 sks oats, 4 do rye; J D Ferguson & co, 10 bbls eggs; Day & co, 2 do do; Schomaker & L, 40 sks meal; T Gaffrey, 26 sks, 14 bbls potatoes; Hussey, Wells & co, 76 bdls scrap iron; W H Hayan, 20 sks oats; Pretzfield Bros, 12 pkgs tobacco; Carter, McGraw & co, 8 sks rags, 1 keg tallow; M McWhinney, 1 bx h ware; J R Campbell, 625 bush oats; E K Thompson, 1 hf bbl varnish; W P Townsend & co, 33 kegs paint; J Dautner, 20 steel hoes; W W Knox, 1 car grain; W Hastings, 6 do staves; J A Mazurie, 8 hhds, 8 bxs, 6 cads tobacco; W B Hays & Son, 3,827 shoulders; Logan, Gregg & co, 6 bxs h ware; F Sellers & co, 2 tcs hams; Armstrong Bro & co, 1 bale cork wood.

Allegheny Valley R. R.

Commercial Oil Works, 960 bbls crude oil; Fisher Bros, 2 310 do do; Waring & King, 160 do do; J Irwin, 480 do do; J Wilkins, 80 bbls do do; J Irwin & co, 1 car acid; C A Carpenter, agent, 4 do rails; White Bro, 1 cir saw; Watt, Lang & co, 2 bbls rags; Adams & Austin, 50 sks oats; Scott & Gisal, 1 car oats 11 sks do; J Snyder, 2 bb's, 2 kegs clay; Keil & Kitchart, 4 sks oats; Martin, B & co, 1 car grain; W Flaccus & Son, 2 do bark; Totten & co, 1 do castings; Reese, G & Dull, 3 do iron cinders; Keystone Bridge co, 3 do bridge iron; Messic & G, 2 do stone.

Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R.

C P Markle & co, 37 bdls p paper; Flaccus & Son, 1 car bark; C B Leech, 75 bbls cement; R Stevenson, 2 bxs castings; Hubley & co, 1 bx mdse; Stark & co, 8 pcs castings; W F Armstrong, 41 bdls sheet iron; American Steel co, 4 bdls, 21 bars steel.

Glass Manufacturers' Imports.

W McCully & Co	10 casks soda ash
Alex King	50 casks soda ash
Lorenz & Wightman	1 car lime.

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PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co. metal	42	Union Mills, m	2
Pitts. I. and F. Co, m	2	Superior Iron Works, m	4
Total			50

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Nimick & Co, metal	9	Bryan & Caughey, m	5
H Crichlow, metal	4	Lyon, Shorb & Co, m	4
Total			22

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

Nimick & Co, metal	4	Zug & Co, ore	1
Hutchison Glass Co, o	2		
Total			7

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

J Moorhead, metal	2	Union Mills, metal	6
Total			8

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Pittsburgh, Brownsville and Geneva Packet Co.

Griffith & W, 3 bbls tallow; Fackiner & Irwin, 1,950 ft lumber; W Frank, 12 e casks; J L Moorhouse, 100 bdls s boards; Voigt, Mahood & co, 4 buckets butter; C F Mankedrick, 60 bbls oil; W G McMinn, 17 do do; W D Cooper & Bro, 649 galls stoneware; J J Pettit, 4 buckets butter; Jno Flack, 100 bxs glass; P Duff & Son, 25 sks oats; E Dechenbo, 700 ft lumber; Nantker & Son, 33 sks oats; E N Stephens, 19 do do; R C Schmertz, 200 bxs glass; C Caldwell, 9 baskets vegetables, 1 bx do.

Greensboro.

PER STEAMER ALLENA MAY.—W D Cooper & Bro, 730 galls stoneware; H Meyers, 1,075 do do; W Gray & Sons, 64 head hogs; McElroy & co, 6 bbls eggs, 55 sks oats, 20 bbls flour; Means & C, 1 bdl sks; Smith, J & C, 1 bbl eggs, 1 do fish, 2 sks rags; J Cline, 1,550 ft lumber; I Dickey, 2 sks bags; Keil & Ritchart, 9 bbls flour.

Portsmouth.

PER STEAMER KENTON.—Lemon & Weise, 2½ doz c s chairs, ½ do rockers; Ortleib & co, 1-3 do do, 4 do c s chairs; Spencer & McKay, 1,000 bbl staves; W B Spencer, 4,100 hoop poles, 1 bx eggs; Means & Coffin, 6 bbls salt; P Duff & Son, 25 bales hay; L H Voigt & co, 1 bx butter; Wm C Armstrong, 1 do eggs; Hauffmann & co, 1 pkge clothing; Clarke & co, 1 bx mdse, 18 kegs butter; Graff, Hugus & co, 17 s fronts; I Dickey, 257 d kegs; Philip Metzway, 193 bdls hoops, 570 do staves; Loomis & Collard, 107⅝ tons pig iron; J W Porter, 14 do do; J M Carson, 1 empty ale bbl; S P Hill, 10 sks f seed.

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PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY, PAN HANDLE ROUTE.—On and after MONDAY, April 26th, 1869, trains will depart from and arrive at Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:

THROUGH TRAINS.

	Departs.	Arrives.
Mail	2:08 a m	12:13 p m
Fast Line	9:43 a m	7:13 p m
Express	1:33 p m	4:33 a m

ACCOMMODATION TRAINS.

	Departs.	Arrives.
Mixed Accomod'n	5:33 a m	9:58 p m
M'Donald Accommod'n	11:43 a m	8:18 p m
Steubenville Accomod'n	3:58 p m	9:33 a m
M'Donald Accommod'n	[illegible]	3:18 p m
Sunday Church Train	12:58 p m	9:58 a m

The 2:33 p m train will leave daily. The 12:13 p m train will arrive daily. All other trains will run daily, Sundays excepted.

The 9:43 a m train makes close connections at Newark for Zanesville.

S. F. SCULL, General Ticket Agent, Columbus, O.

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THE ONLY DIRECT ROUTE TO THE OIL REGIONS WITHOUT CHANGE OF CARS.

On and after MONDAY, May 31, 1869, two through Trains daily (except Sunday) will leave Pittsburgh Depot, corner Eleventh and Pike streets, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

Leave Pittsburgh.		Arrive at Pittsburgh.	
Day Express	8:00 a m	Day Ex, re-s	5:15 p m
Night Express	7:30 p m	Night Express	6:30 a m
Brady's B'd Ac	3:15 p m	Brady's B'd Ac	10:15 a m
1st Soda Works Accom'n	9:45 a m	1st Soda Works	7:40 a m
2d Soda Works Accom'n	6:30 p m	2d Soda Works	6:15 p m
1st Hulton Ac	6:45 a m	1st Hulton	8:50 a m
2d Hulton Ac	12:00 m	2d Hulton	2:00 p m
3d Hulton Ac	11:00 p m	3d Hulton	1:05 a m
Arnold's Ac	5:00 p m	Arnold's Ac	7:40 p m

Church Train to and from Soda Works, (Sundays) leaves 1:10 p m; arrives 9:50 a m.

Express Trains stop only at principal points.

Accommodation Trains stop at all stations.

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen'l Supt.

THOS. M. KING, Ass't. Supt.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY, AND CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

From April 26th, 1869, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, north side, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Chicago Ex	2:08 a m	Chicago Ex	1:58 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	7:23 a m	Chicago Ex	12:03 p m
Cl. & Whg Mail	6:13 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:48 a m
Chicago Mail	6:58 a m	St. Lou's Ex	7:08 p m
Chicago Ex	9:43 a m	Chic. Ex. & Mail	3:53 p m
Cl. & Whg Ex	2:08 p m	Cleveland Ex	4:53 p m
Chicago Ex	2:23 p m	Erie & Ygn Ex	5:53 p m
W'lle & Erie Ex	4:38 p m	Cl. & Whg Ex	6:53 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver FallsAc	5:58 a m	Leetsdale Ac	6:58 a m
Leetsdale Ac	10:03 a m	Beaver FallsAc	8:28 a m
Leetsdale Ac	11:58 a m	New Castle Ac	10:23 a m
Rochester Ac	1:28 p m	Enon Ac	9:13 a m
Enon Ac	3:58 p m	Leetsdale Ac	1:08 p m
Leetsdale Ac	5:13 p m	Beaver FallsAc	2:43 p m
Beaver FallsAc	6:13 p m	Leetsdale Ac	4:33 p m
Leetsdale Ac	10:43 p m	Leetsdale Ac	7:23 p m
Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	12:38 p m	Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	9:58 a m

2:23 p m Chicago Express will leave daily. 12:03 p m Chicago Express arrives daily. No change of cars between Pittsburgh and Chicago.

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J. N. McCULLOUGH, General Superintendent.

J. M. KIMBALL, General Ticket Agent.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after APRIL 25, 1869, Trains arrive at and depart from the Union Depot, corner of Washington and Liberty streets, as follows:

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Mail Train	1:25 a m	Day Express	2:15 a m
Fast Line	1:45 a m	Southern Ex	4:50 a m
Wall's No. 1	6:20 a m	Wall's No. 1	6:30 a m
Brinton Ac	7:50 a m	Mail Train	8:50 a m
Wall's No. 2	8:50 a m	Homewood Ac No. 1	10:20 a m
Cincinnati Ex	9:10 a m	Cincinnati Ex*	12:30 p m
Homewood Ac No. 1	1:10 p m	Wall's No. 2	11:50 a m
Johnstown Ac	10:35 a m	Johnstown Ac	3:05 p m
Pittsburgh Ex	1:30 p m	Braddock's Ac	3:40 p m
Phila. Exp	1:50 p m	Phila. Exp	4:20 p m
Wall's No. 3	2:50 p m	Wall's Ac No. 3	4:50 p m
Braddock's Ac	5:50 p m	Wall's Ac No. 4	6:05 p m
Homewood Ac No. 2	9:35 p m	Fast Line*	7:30 p m
Wall's No. 4	7:20 p m	Homewood Ac No. 2	8:20 p m
Way Passenger and Emg't'r'n	10:20 p m	Wall's No. 5	11:00 p m

*These trains make close connections at Harrisburg for Baltimore.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 a. m. Returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:10 p. m.

Cincinnati Express leaves daily. All other Trains daily except Sunday.

For further information apply to W. H. BECKWITH, Agent.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will not assume any Risk for Baggage, except for Wearing Apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All baggage exceeding that amount in value, will be at the risk of the owner, unless taken by special contract.

EDWARD H. WILLIAMS, General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after APRIL 25, 1869, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will arrive at and depart from the Federal Street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows:

Arrive.		Depart.	
Springdale Ac. No. 1	6:40 a m	Mail	7:00 a m
Freeport Ac. No. 1	8:20 a m	Freeport Ac. No. 1	9:20 a m
Express	10:40 a m	Sharpsburg Ac	11:20 a m
Sharpsburg Ac. No. 1	1:20 p m	Express	2:50 p m
Freeport Ac. No. 2	4:00 p m	Sharpsburg Ac. No. 1	3:30 p m
Mail	5:50 p m	Freeport Ac. No. 2	5:20 p m
Springdale Ac. No. 2	6:20 p m	Springdale Ac. No. 2	6:30 p m

Above Trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7:50 a. m., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 a. m. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 12:40 p. m., and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 2:40 p. m.

Commutation Tickets for sale in packages of twenty, between Allegheny City, Chestnut street, Herr's, Bennett, Pine Creek, Etna and Sharpsburg, and good only on the Trains stopping at Stations specified on Tickets.

The Train leaving Allegheny City at 7:00 a. m. makes direct connections at Freeport with Walker's Line of Stages for Butler, Hannahstown and Saxonburg. Through Tickets, too, may be purchased at the office, No. 3 St. Clair street, near Suspension Bridge, Pittsburgh, and at the Depot, Allegheny City.

For further information apply to JAMES LEFFERTS, Agent, Federal Street Depot.

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Leave		Arrive	
Pittsburgh	12:30 p m	In New York	6:00 a m
Pittsburgh	4:20 p m	In New York	9:45 a m
Pittsburgh	7:30 p m	In New York	11:45 a m
Pittsburgh	2:15 a m	In New York	6:45 p m

Leave New York for Pittsburgh, from Station, Central Railroad, of New Jersey, foot of Liberty street.

Leave		Arrive	
New York	9:00 a m	In Pittsburgh	1:45 a m
New York	5:05 p m	In Pittsburgh	9:10 a m
New York	8:00 p m	In Pittsburgh	1:30 p m

On Sunday leave Pittsburgh at 12:30 p. m. only, and New York at 8 p. m. only.

Baggage checked to all points between Pittsburgh and New York.

H. P. BALDWIN, General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.—On and after TUESDAY, Nov. 17, 1868, the Trains will leave the Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, as follows:

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Mail to and from Uniontown	7:00 a m	6:00 p m
M'Keesport Accommodation	11:00 a m	3:00 p m
Express to and from Uniontown	3:00 p m	10:10 a m
West Newton Accommodat'n	4:30 p m	8:35 a m
Braddock's Accommodation	6:15 p m	7:55 p m
Night Accommodation to McKeesport	10:30 p m	6:45 a m
Sunday Church Train to and from West Newton	1:00 p m	10:00 a m

For Tickets apply to E. M. RAYMOND, Agent.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Pittsburgh, May 25th, 1869.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR Grading, Paving and Curbing Center street, from Forty fourth to Forty-fifth street, is now ready for examination, and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, JUNE 4TH.

When it will be returned to the City Treasurer's office for collection.

H. J. MOORE, City Engineer.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS.—THE PITTSBURGH FARMERS AND MECHANICS TURNPIKE CO. will receive Proposals until the 21st of June for the delivery of TWO THOUSAND PERCH OF LIMESTONE within the next five months, along the line of their Road. The Turnpike can easily be reached by all the Railroads coming to this city. Address

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CITY MATTERS.

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES.

Annual Reports—Addresses—Election of Officers, etc.

The anniversary exercises of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for Friendless Children were held yesterday afternoon in the Union Regular Baptist Church, Grant street, and were conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. M. Young.

The platform was elegantly arranged, and handsomely decorated with flowers, wreaths, evergreens, etc., and was occupied by the children of the Home, who were neatly attired, and presented a very touching scene—ranging in ages from two years up to twelve or fourteen.

The exercises opened by a recitation of the twenty-third psalm, in concert, by the children. This was followed by a song, "Glory to God in the Highest," by four girls and ten boys with organ accompaniment.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. John Douglas, D.D.

Rev. W. M. Young, D.D., then delivered a brief address, remarking that when the human heart was touched by sorrow and affliction, it served to awaken the better sensibilities of our nature. The scene before them could not fail to touch the hearts and arouse the sympathies of the humane and benevolent, and cause them to care for the helpless and the outcast. The children present claimed their most enlarged sympathies and most devoted energies, that they may go forth as men and women qualified for all the duties of life.

Mary Adams, a soldier's orphan, aged about ten years, then delivered an addressed in verse, which was a very creditable performance. This was followed by a juvenile song by a number of the children.

ANNUAL REPORTS.

Rev. J. R. Newell, by request, then read the annual reports, as follows:

The managers of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny "Home for the Friendless" meet to-day to celebrate their eighth anniversary. We feel, as on all former occasions, that we have great cause for gratitude to our Heavenly Father for His sustaining care and many mercies bestowed upon us. That watchful eye that notices the sparrows fall has been over this institution, and these little ones have been clothed from His bountiful hand.

There is great cause for gratitude that such good health has been vouchsafed to us. But few cases of sickness and only one death (and that of a delicate babe) have occurred during the year.

This speaks well for the sanitary condition of the institution. All is done that is in our power to promote this end. In reviewing the operations of these years that are past, we cannot help feeling that *some* good has resulted from the efforts put forth to benefit these children of sorrow and want. *Hundreds* of neglected and friendless little ones have been sheltered by us, and it may be have received instruction that will be the foundations for a life of usefulness here, and of happiness in a future world.

As there are *many* charitable institutions in these cities, it may not be amiss *again* to specify the nature and object of *this* one, as it does not seem to be *fully* understood, even by some that contribute towards its support.

It receives all friendless children that it can accommodate, those who have been bereft of parents, or those whose parents are unfit, or *unable* to provide for them. There are many cases where one parent is removed by death, perhaps the mother, and the father finds himself unable to care for the little ones as he would like to do. He places them with us, pays what he can for them and feels happy, that the loss of the mother, is in a measure supplied to his children. A mother is left with a family dependent on her; the labor of her hands is insufficient to provide for all their wants, and even if she could, who is to care for them, while she is absent from her home, laboring to procure the means for their support.

Such children are placed with us, and the mother can go to her labor with a cheerful heart, knowing that the children will be watched over and kindly cared for.

Who will not say this is a great blessing, and be happy to contribute to such an end? Some are here because their parents are addicted to the dreadful vice of intemperance. A little girl was brought to us some months ago, by a kind hearted gentleman, who found her in a pitiable condition. Parents were drunk, arrested for disorderly conduct, sent to jail, and poor Mary was left to the charity of others. She is still an inmate of the Home.

These cases might be multiplied, but it is unnecessary. We have twenty-nine children of our deceased soldiers, for which the State pays us $105 each per year. To our receiving these children we have heard objections, but we think they are *unjustly* made. Many of these are as friendless as any others, and as deserving of our care. Should we not rather feel that they are a sacred legacy entrusted to us, and just *now* while the nation is honoring the memory of those that have *fought, bled* and *died* for us, show *our* regard for *them* by caring for their children? We have received during the year sixty-five children, and six adults, temporarily. One of these, Mrs. S——, was at the Home four week with her three children. Her case was one of great distress, and she manifest much gratitude for being so kindly treated at the Home.

We have dismissed twenty-nine children, two restored to parents, one adopted, and one death. Present number ninety-two. This has been about the number we have had through the year, and we have refused many more than have been received, for want of room. As we are entirely dependent for support upon the voluntary subscriptions of friends, we now appeal to the kind-hearted and liberal men of wealth of these cities to enable us to enlarge our sphere of operations, that we may not be compelled to turn a deaf ear to the entreaties of the sorrowing mothers, who often leave us, saying "I know not what I shall do if you will not receive my children." This is an age of enlarged liberality, and it is not uncommon for *one* individual to give *thousands* of dollars to found or sustain institutions of this kind.

Is there less sympathy for these things among our citizens than elsewhere, or will they not respond to this appeal and thus enable us to devise liberal things for the needy? We are not unmindful of the favors we have received or the interest manifested towards us and would gratefully acknowledge even the smallest gift, but if we would do more good more money is needed. We have received a legacy of $1,000, less the tax, from the estate of Mr. Richard Glyde and $100 from the estate of Mrs. E. J. Patterson. Our children have been kindly remembered on all holiday occasions, all the good things of the season have been sent to them in abundance, which they have enjoyed very much, and for this manifestation of interest, we as well they, extend to the donors our hearty thanks.

A gentleman exhibited to them a panorama of scripture and other scenes, which was both interesting and profitable to them. They have also been invited occasionally to meet with other Sabbath schools, and we are happy to say, they have always gained credit to themselves and their instructors, by their good deportment, and ready answers to questions propounded to them. Our matron, Miss L. J. Blair, is ever ready to promote the happiness of the children, caring for them in health and tenderly watching over them in sickness, and thus endeavoring to discharge the responsible duties devolving upon her.

The day school is under the charge of Miss A. Neel, whom we regard as an excellent disciplinarian, and the scholars generally have improved as much as could be expected, considering the large number (seventy-five), and the great difficulty of classifying them.

Our sincere thanks are rendered to our kind physician, Dr. Wm. B. Hezlep, for his constant and valuable services so cheerfully rendered, without pecuniary reward. For a few months past the Sabbath School has been conducted by Mr. Moore, a Theological student, who, by his earnestness and variety in teaching, has given a new impulse to the school. The scriptures are the text book here, and we would fain hope that like Timothy, these children may be made acquainted with them from their youth.

By order of the Board,
MRS. M. R. TREVOR, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

Miss S. Trevor, Treasurer, in account with the Home of the Friendless:

To balance on hand at last report	$ 3,915 82
Annual subscriptions collected by Managers	2,303 00
Bequest of Mr. Richard Glyde $1,000, less Government tax $110	890 00
Bequest of Mrs. Patterson	100 00
Col. G. A. McFarland for maintenance of Soldiers' Orphans	3,697 53
Boarding children	774 45
Interest on Government bonds	587 25
Donations	188 05
Ground rent	55 66
Fines from Managers	12 25
	$12,524 01
Credit	8,340 42
Balance	$4,183 59

Three thousand dollars of the above balance is in 5-20 bonds.

By cash paid Visiting Committees	$5,918 17
" " " for salaries	980 54
" " " for wages	484 00
" " " for repairs	432 86
" " " for medicines	111 82
" " " for sundry bills	359 03
" " " for insurance	54 00
Total	$8,340 42

ELECTION OF MANAGERS.

The following ladies were chosen as Managers for the ensuing year:

Mrs. E. F. Denny,
Mrs. Dr. Dale,
Mrs. Jas. Laughlin,
Mrs. Gilb't Follansbee,
Mrs. James Agnew,
Mrs. Chas. Arbuthnot,
Mrs. W. P. Logan,
Mrs. H. P. Schwartz,
Mrs. R. D. Thompson,
Mrs. Levi Wade,
Mrs. J. C. Lippincott,
Mrs. Wm. M. Young.
Mrs. Sterritt,
Mrs. E. E. Breading,
Mrs. Robert Dalzell,
Mrs. Richard Hays,
Mrs. Dr. Trevor,
Mrs. Samuel McKee,
Mrs. Wm. Thaw,
Mrs. Robert McKnight,
Miss Susan Trevor,
Miss Janie Smith,
Miss Mary Nimick,
Miss Ralston.

There will be a meeting of the new Board this afternoon at the "Home," on Washington street, Allegheny.

SONG OF GREETING.

The children then joined in singing an "Anniversary Song of Greeting, to the Patrons and Friends of the Home for the Friendless," composed by Mrs. Levi Wade. The song is as follows:

Sweet Spring, with fairy fingers,
Has decked the earth with flowers,
And all the little wild birds,
From out their woodland bowers,
Have sung their songs of welcome,
Their merriest roundelay,—
So we, with love, now greet you,
Dear friends, this festal day.

Since last we stood before you,
A year has passed away,
And we have learned our lessons,
And had our merry play,—
And now the rosy June month,
The glad month of the year,
Brings us this pleasant meeting,
To all our hearts so dear.

For all your love so tender,
Your never failing care,
For all the gifts and blessings,
Which we together share,
Our "Home," with all its comforts,
Our friends, so kind and true,
To God our thanks we offer,
To whom all praise is due.

The exercises of the children were then continued in the following order: Recitation—"Over the mountain and over the moor," by Sadie Adams. Song—"Sleep, baby, sleep," by four girls. Declamation—"You'd scarce expect one of my age," by Elmer Morris, a boy aged about four years. Song, by Tommy Dunn, with chorus. Dialogue, by two little girls named Johnston, which was very well rendered.

Rev. Joseph R. Kerr was then introduced and delivered a very interesting address to the children.

The programme was continued: Dialogue—"Learning to Think," by two boys. Song—"The Three Little Kittens." Declamations, songs, etc.

Colonel McFarland, State Superintendent of Soldiers' Orphans' Schools, was introduced and delivered a brief and appropriate address.

Rev. Dr. Douglas offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and vicinity assembled, on the occasion of the anniversary of the "Home for the Friendless of Pittsburgh and Allegheny," express our highest satisfaction with the manner in which the institution is conducted.

Resolved, That the most grateful thanks of the citizens of these cities and vicinity are due those humane and benevolent ladies who have taken such a deep and abiding interest in the cause of the friendless and homeless children.

Resolved, That we most cordially commend this excellent institution to the sympathies and liberality of our people. Adopted unanimously.

The exercises closed with a benediction by Rev. Dr. Douglas.

BEAUTIFYING THE SCHOOL ROOMS.

A Commendable Proposition.

On a recent visit to the city of Cleveland—a city which, we are pleased to say, is among the most enterprising and progressive in educational matters—our City Superintendent, Mr. Luckey, was gratified to find that all the school rooms were handsomely ornamented with flowers, paintings, engravings, and such other decorations as were agreeable to the eye. Mr. Luckey was very favorably impressed with the idea, as almost any one would be, and he resolved to suggest it to the teachers and pupils of our schools. We need advance no argument to show that the care and cultivation of flowers, and the study of those lessons which are so forcibly taught by the engraver and the painter and the sculptor, have an elevating and refining influence upon the minds of children. In regard to the expense, that is mainly borne by the teachers and pupils of Cleveland, and no money is drawn from the school fund. Flowers are comparatively inexpensive, and a few pots, sufficient to decorate each window, would cost but a trifle. Many of the pupils would take pleasure in raising annuals from the seed and placing them in the school room to bloom and gladden the eyes of their fellow pupils. The engravings, painting, statuarys, etc., are more costly, but there are wealthy and liberal friends of education who would gladly contribute for such a worthy purpose were they solicited to do so. We hope, therefore, that the suggestion will be favorably received by all the schools, and that each and every school room will be as handsomely decorated as the means of the teachers and pupils will permit. Everything which tends to relieve the monotony of school life and render the school room attractive, will not only help the cause of education, but at the same time refine and elevate the tastes of the children.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

On the opening of the Court yesterday morning, the case of John W. Langfitt vs. Jacob Dietz, action to recover damages for alleged malicious prosecution and false arrest and imprisonment was taken up. The plaintiff was driver of car No. 31 of the Citizens Passenger Railway, and on the 6th of April, 1867, while returning with his car from Lawrenceville, near the corner of Wainwright street, ran over and killed a little boy named Adam Bauscht, aged three years and four months, who had attempted to cross the street in front of the car. After the death of the boy, the defendant, Jacob Dietz, at the suggestion of the boy's parents made information before Squire Jancey, of Lawrenceville, charging Langfitt with the willful, malicious and negligent killing of the child. In other words, charging him with manslaughter. Langfitt was arrested on the Saturday following, and lodged in jail, whence he was released on the subsequent Monday, bail being entered for his appearance when required. When the matter was brought before the Grand Jury the bill was ignored and Langfitt discharged. The above suits for damages was then instituted. The amount claimed is $5,000. The case was concluded and submitted to the jury, but no verdict had been returned at adjournment.

Executors of Cyrus Townsend, deceased, vs. Robert Carr. This was an action to revive a judgment entered in 1862. The defense proposed offering the defendant as a witness, but such evidence was ruled out according to the late act of Assembly, to the effect, that in no case where executors or administrators are concerned, neither party is allowed to testify. The defense claimed that the judgment was entered in Townsend's name after he was dead, and thus it was null and void. The jury found for the plaintiff the sum of $2,000, to be released on payment of $729 with attorney's commission.

McElroy, Dickson & Co. vs. James G. Knap. This is an action on the indorsement of a note. On trial.

TRIAL LIST.

Following is the trial list for to-day:

No. 47. Schmidt & Co. vs. Boehm.
No. 118. Canfield vs. Barton, garnishee.
No. 126. Troy vs. steamer Fair Play.
No. 128. Seitz vs. J. H. Jones.
No. 129. Same vs. A. H. Jones.
No. 133. Hutchinson vs. Spinale et al.
No. 134. Waring & Co. vs. Miller & Co.
No. 136. Bell vs. Stevenson.

ARGUMENT LIST.

The argument list of the Common Pleas Court is still being heard. It will be concluded this week.

Alleged Forgery.

Wm. Peach made information before Mayor Brush yesterday, charging the son of a well known gentleman in this city, who is also himself well known, with forgery. It is charged that on the 4th of May last, the defendant forged the name of his father and uncle to a note, payable three months after date at the banking house of James T. Brady & Co., Fourth avenue, for the sum of $475. This note was afterwards presented to Mr. Peach, accompanied by a certificate purporting to have been signed by the uncle of the defendant, which stated that whoever negotiated the note would hold him (the uncle) liable. Mr. Peach paid the young man the amount stated in the note and did not discover the forgery until yesterday, when he immediately made the information, and a warrant was issued.

The same young man has his name connected with several little discrepancies in the accounts of the city. Receipts have been placed in the hands of Clerk Patterson for $375 switch licenses, which were collected by the aforesaid young man and never returned to the city. The Finance Committee at a recent meeting instructed the Mayor's clerk to ascertain the entire amount so collected by the young man, after which proceedings will be instituted. The present whereabouts of the accused are not known. He left the city eight or ten days since, and it was reported that he had gone to Chicago. Telegrams were sent there yesterday, and answers received that he had not arrived there yet. The police will doubtless track him.

To Our Fellow Citizens.

In behalf of the mission of Rev. J. C. Keeney, of Mississippi: Having satisfied ourselves of the authenticity of the credentials of Rev. J. C. Keeney, and of the merits of the appeal he makes in behalf of suffering orphans in the Orphans' Home, at Lauderdale, Miss., we feel that we can, with propriety, commend his cause to the generous consideration of those who may have it in their power to respond to his call for aid.

Very respectfully,
CHAS. F. WILSTACH, Mayor;
JOHN A. GANO, Prest. Chamber of Commerce;
A. E. CHAMBERLAIN,
O. N. BUSH,
R. A. HOLDEN,
GEO. CRAWFORD & CO.
CINCINNATI, May 20, 1868.

I concur in the above statement.
JARED M. BRUSH,
Mayor of Pittsburgh.
PITTSBURGH, June 3, 1869.

A Terrible Fall.

About eleven o'clock yesterday morning an accident occurred at the furniture establishment of T. B. Young & Co., No. 21 Smithfield street, which fortunately was not attended with any serious results. A boy named Theodore Kroth and a man named Geo. McMullen, employed at the establishment, were engaged hoisting a bale of tow weighing about two hundred and fifty pounds, to the fifth story. Mr. McMullen was at the fifth story window, and the boy at the second. When the bale had ascended about half way, they both got upon the descending rope to come down. The rope broke and they and the bale fell together to the ground. McMullen's right thigh was broken and Kroth was fearfully bruised and lacerated. None of his bones were broken, however. McMullen was taken to the Homœopathic Hospital, on Second avenue. He resides in Manchester. Kroth was attended by Dr. Rogers, after which he was removed to his home. How they escaped instant death is a miracle.

Condition of the City Farm.

Mr. W. D. Patterson, Superintendent of the City Farm, makes the following report of the condition of the Home during the month of May. On the first of the month there were in the institution two hundred and three inmates—males eighty-six and females one hundred and seventeen; admitted to the house during the month, eleven—being seven males and four females; left the house during the month, thirty-eight—there being seventeen of these males and twenty-one females; in the institution on the 31st of May, one hundred and seventy-six—of whom seventy-six are males and one hundred are females. This shows a net decrease of twenty-seven persons during the month. Of those who left five were taken away by death, four being infants and the fifth an old man of eighty-four years, who had been in the house for over seventeen years. The expenditures during the month were $2,134 54.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH REPORT.—Following is a report of the workings of the Fire Alarm Telegraph for the month of May:

Number of alarms	11
Blows on Central bell (for alarms)	230
Blows on Central bell (for the hours)	231
And three in announcing the completion of the Union Pacific Railroad.	
Blows on the Seventeenth ward bell	247
Total loss by fire	$3,175
Total insurance	2,400
Loss over insurance	$ 775

FINES PAID.—The five young men arrested for disorderly conduct at the polls in the Seventeenth ward, on the day of the primary election were fined ten dollars and costs each by Mayor Brush yesterday. The fines were paid.

Seven of the twelve young men arrested for disorderly conduct at a wedding in East Liberty were fined one dollar and costs each, yesterday. The others were discharged.

NO CLAIMANTS.—No claimants have yet appeared for the two carpet sacks, supposed to belong to the parties engaged in the robbery at Robison & Co's on Liberty street. The sacks are at the Allegheny Mayor's office, and if the owners would but call they can have them.

Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—To-night, the genial gentleman and clever pantomimist, Mr. W. H. Bartholomew, will have a benefit, and a rousing one he deserves. He is a genuine artiste, has a fine company at his command, and deserves public commendation.

THEATER.—The troupe at the Theater is equal to the best of the kind in the country, and as an opera comique is well deserving of patronage.

THE MUSEUM closes to-morrow evening, and those who have not been to visit it should do so to-day.

Police Intelligence.

THURSDAY, June 3, 1869.

[Before Alderman McMasters.]

AFFILIATION.

Officer James Blundon arrested a man named Charles H. Bell who was held to bail in the sum of $1,000 by Alderman McMasters, to answer a charge of affiliation preferred against him by Ann Elizabeth Downey. The offense was committed some four months ago in Washington county, where both parties reside, and although a warrant was out for the defendant, he successfully eluded the vigilance of the Washington police. Some days since the matter was placed in the hands of officer Blundon, and he, learning that Bell had quartered himself on North Branch Run, in North Fayette township, determined on paying him a visit. Accordingly, on Tuesday night the officer visited the locality mentioned, and at 12 o'clock succeeded in finding the object of his search in Bell's mill. He remained with Bell until daylight, when he brought him to the city. Yesterday he was held to bail as stated.

[Before Alderman Taylor.]

HELD FOR A HEARING.

Mary Mellon charged Samuel Crowen with assault and battery, for which the accused was arrested and held for a hearing on Tuesday.

[Before Justice Heisel, of East Birmingham.]

WARRANT ISSUED.

Preston Smith charged Mrs. Emsy with assault and battery, alleging that the accused threw a bucketful of hot water on him. Warrant issued.

THE BIGAMY CASE.

Edward Burmett, charged with bigamy, on oath of his wife, Mary Burmett, has left for parts unknown. The parties are colored, and Edward's second wife, whom he found in Lower St. Clair township, was married to him only a week when she discovered that Edward had another wife in full life. He is gone, however.

WEDNESDAY, June 2, 1869.

[Before Alderman McMasters.]

ALLEGED NUISANCE.

Dr. J. H. O'Brien, of Scott township, made information charging Christopher Hope, Supervisor of Roads in said township, with keeping and maintaining a public nuisance. It is alleged that the accused permits the roads of the township to remain in an almost impassable condition, and refuses to employ the means at his disposal to improve said roads. A warrant was issued. It will be remembered that the complainant formerly resided on the Brownsville road, and had numerous suits against the authorities of that neighborhood on the question of roads.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

John Frounholz made information charging William Jones, R. B. Elliott, F. M. Gardiner, Thomas Gillespie and John Smith, all members of the police force, with aggravated assault and battery. Frounholz is proprietor of a saloon in the Fifteenth Ward, and had been prosecuted before Alderman Butler by officer Elliott, for aggravated assault and battery, committed one day last week. Warrants were issued and placed in the hands of one or two of the officers named, and it was while the arrest was being made, Frounholz alleges the offense was committed. The "nippers" used by the officers, he says, cut deep into his wrists, and in addition to that he avers the officers beat him with their maces. Warrants were issued.

HELD FOR A HEARING.

Mrs. Mary Bratch lodged complaint against her husband, Henry Bratch, for assault and battery and surety of the peace, the defendant having knocked her down and kicked her. Mrs. Bratch states that she had Henry before the Mayor, and as soon as he was released, after paying a fine of twenty-five dollars, he returned home and again abused her, and threatened to take her life. He also told her that he was willing to pay twenty-five dollars for the fun afforded in whipping her. He was arrested and held for a hearing.

[Before Justice Kelly, of Temperanceville.]

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

Justice Kelly, of Temperanceville, yesterday committed Thomas Carr and Thomas Clarkson to jail to answer a charge of aggravated assault and battery, preferred by Wesley Kern. It seemed that the defendants were stopped on the highway in Temperanceville on Tuesday night and robbed by two men of the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars. Later, they met Kern, and believing him to be one of their assailants, beat him most cruelly. As soon as he was able, he proceeded to the office of Justice Kelly and made information against the accused. They were arrested, and yesterday morning committed in default of bail for trial.

[Before Justice Heisel, of East Birmingham.]

ALLEGED BIGAMY.

Rebecca Burnett made information before Justice Heisel, yesterday, charging Edward Burnett, her lawful husband, with bigamy. The information sets forth that the accused has two wives both living. A warrant was issued.

THREATENED HIM.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of John Edwards who was charged on oath of W. F. Deerbaum with surety of the peace.

ALLEGED ABANDONMENT.

Margaret Jacobs preferred a charge of desertion against her husband, Geo. Jacobs, and a warrant for his apprehension was issued.

SURETY OF THE PEACE.

C. H. Wilhelm complained that he was afraid of one Jacob Schneider, who deponent learned had threatened to do him bodily injury. Warrant issued.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENSES.

Martin Scheld lodged information against Valentine Krugg, alleging that he obtained twenty dollars worth of groceries under false pretenses. The defendant has not been arrested, but a warrant is out for him.

ANOTHER THREATENING INDIVIDUAL.

George Schaub, according to the allegation of Nicholas Stein, threatened to injure the said Nicholas Stein, for which offense a warrant was issued.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Mary Schriver alleged that George Gourley had acted in a disorderly and unbecoming manner in her presence. George will have to answer the charge before Justice Heisel.

[Before Justice Ammon, of East Birmingham.]

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

John Kuntz complained that John Zeirof had wantonly assaulted him, whereupon a warrant was issued for John's arrest.

ALGEO'S new jewelry store is at No. 45 Sixth street (late St. Clair.)

MESSERS. JACKSON & DEVORE'S LIVERY STABLES.

New Stock, New Carriages, Etc.

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Mr. Devore is well known as one of our most popular and reliable undertakers, and will give this department of the business prompt and satisfactory attention. We can, therefore, commend the firm as every way worthy the patronage of our readers, and are glad to learn that their liberality and enterprise are properly appreciated by the public, as attested by the fact that they are already doing a large and profitable business.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

PITTSBURGH, May 8, 1869.

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